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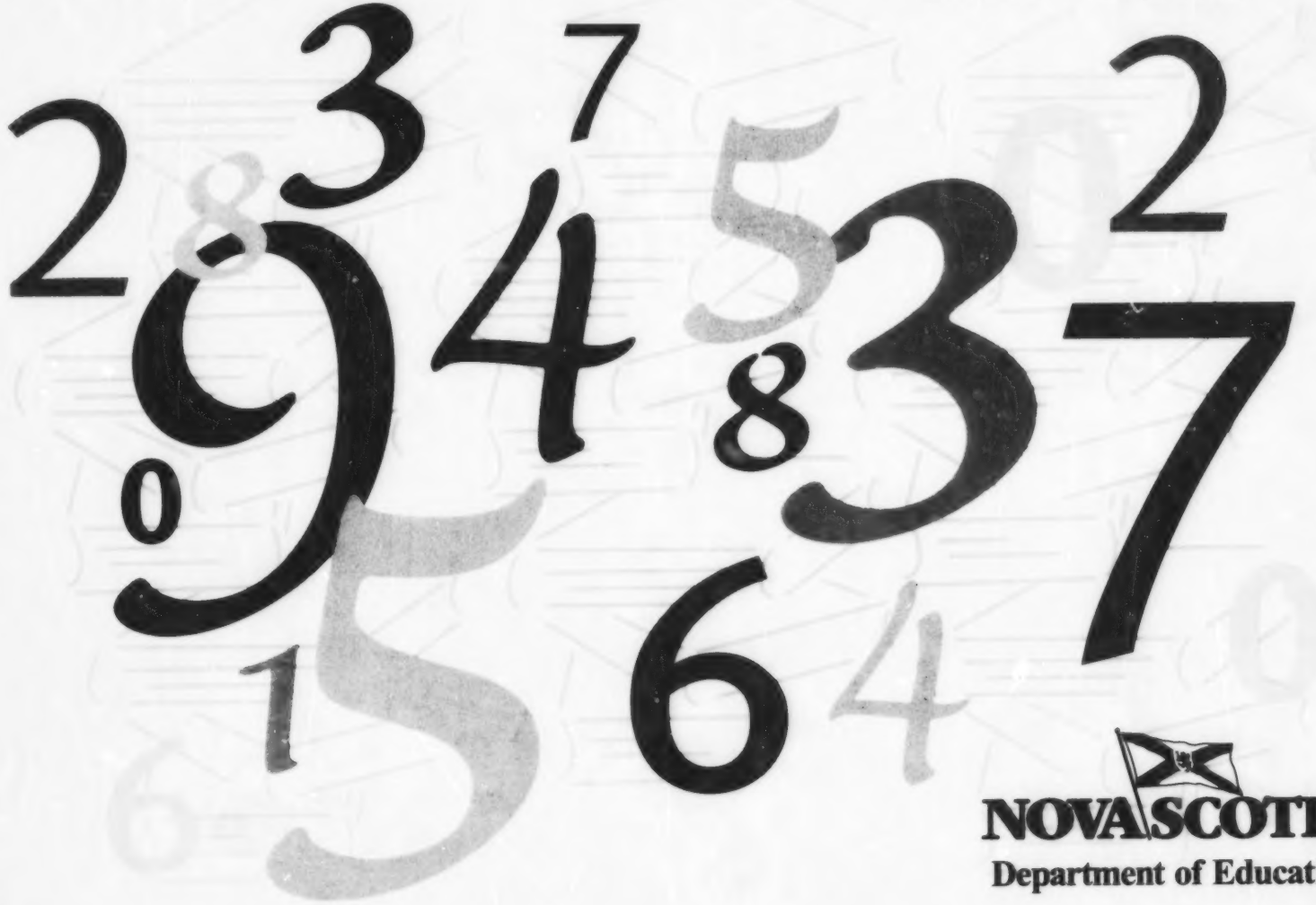

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Welcome

Welcome to the 1999-00 edition of the *Statistical Summary*, an annual publication of the Nova Scotia Department of Education.

The purpose of this document is to provide school board officials, Department of Education staff, teachers, and parents as well as the public with statistical information about the public school system in Nova Scotia. The information is provided to support informed policy making and to promote a better understanding of how the education system functions in the province.

The *Statistical Summary,* provides data for the recently completed school year, and comparable historical information. Please note that, due to the amalgamation of school boards in 1996, and changes in collection and reporting methods of some data, it is not always possible to provide historical information.

The *Statistical Summary* is largely the product of requests over the years for information on a wide range of topics. The basic intent is to provide a reference document. If you require additional statistical data on topics covered in the document, or further information, please contact the Department directly (telephone 902-424-6988). Your feedback and questions regarding this document are welcomed. Detailed contact information is provided at the end of this document.

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Summary Information

This section provides a brief overview of the education system in Nova Scotia. Current and historical information about the number of students, teachers, schools, and financial information can be found here. More detailed information may be found in the following sections.

Students
Total enrolment for the Nova Scotia public school system in 1999-00 was 158,205, a decrease of 1.1 percent from the previous year. Projected enrolments show a continued decrease.

Teachers
There were 9,926 active teachers or 9,611.2 full-time equivalent (FTE) teachers in 1999-00. The student-teacher (FTE) ratio for 1999-00 was 16.5.

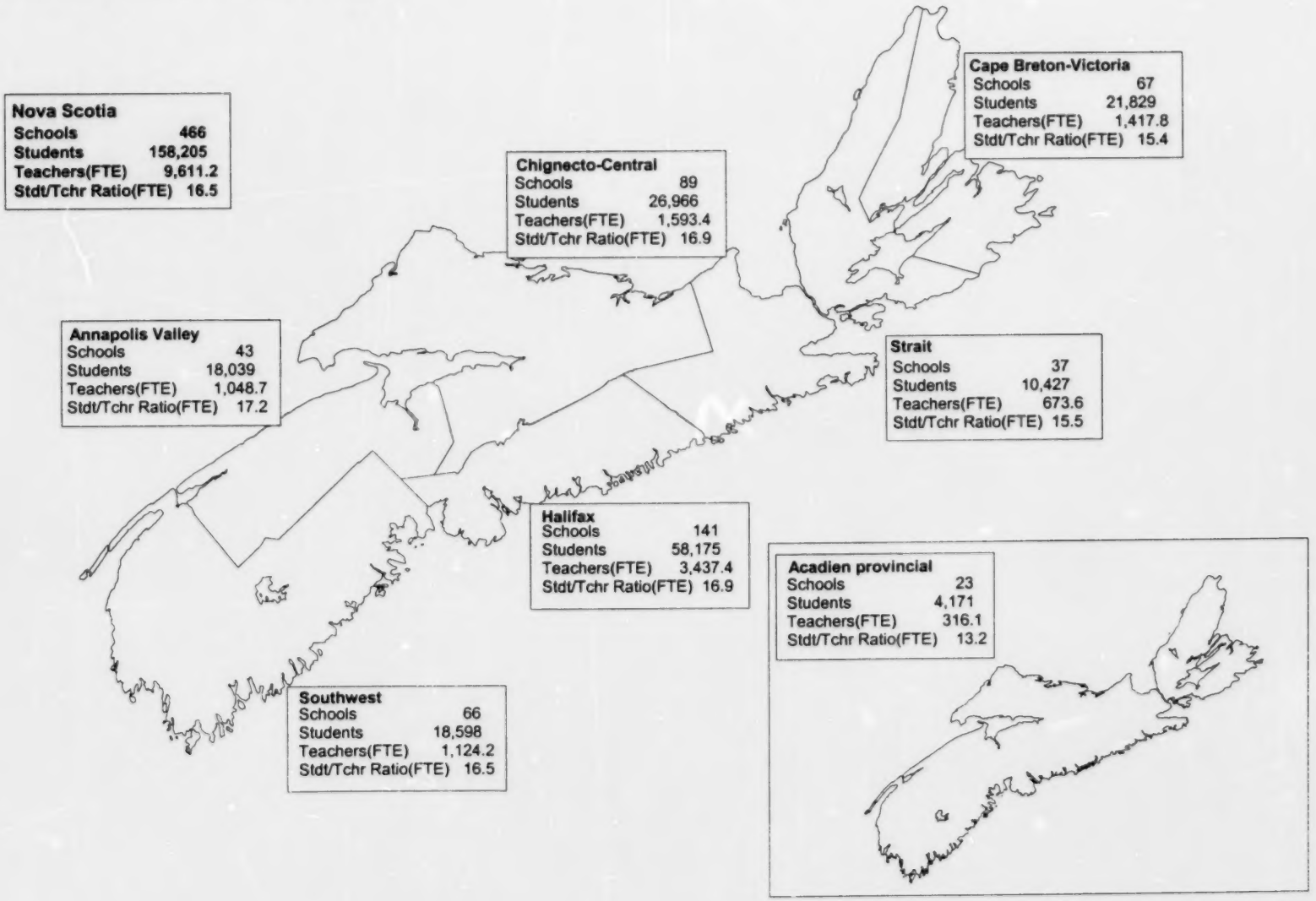
Schools
The number of schools in Nova Scotia continues to fluctuate with new schools being built and the older schools closing. For the 1999-00 school year, there were 466 schools.

Revenues and Expenditures
Budgeted provincial grants to boards for 1999-00 were $630.8 million, an increase of 2.1 percent from $617.9 million in 1998-99. Budgeted school board expenditures for 1999-00 were $799.1 million. Total provincial expenditures per student were $4,975 in 1998-99 and were budgeted at $5,051 in 1999-00.

School Boards in Nova Scotia

Cape Breton-Victoria Regional School Board
Strait Regional School Board
Chignecto-Central Regional School Board
Halifax Regional School Board
Annapolis Valley Regional School Board
Southwest Regional School Board
Conseil scolaire acadien provincial

Summary Information: Map



Selected Summary Information: 1999-00 (page 1 of 2)

Board	Enrolment	Number of Teachers	Full-Time Equivalents (FTE) (1)	Student-Teacher Ratio	Graduation Rate(2)	Retention Rate(2)	Withdrawal Rate(2)	Average Class Size(3) Elementary	Junior	Senior	Average Teacher Salary	Number of Schools
Cape Breton-Victoria	21,829	1,425	1,417.8	15.4				21.2	24.0	24.5	$52,216	67
Strait	10,427	677	673.6	15.5				22.7	25.5	21.3	$52,167	37
Chignecto-Central	26,966	1,661	1,593.4	16.9				24.4	26.4	22.1	$52,822	89
Halifax	58,175	3,562	3,437.4	16.9				24.4	26.8	26.3	$52,082	141
Annapolis Valley	18,039	1,105	1,048.7	17.2				24.8	24.9	24.7	$51,963	43
Southwest	18,598	1,168	1,124.2	16.5				23.2	24.2	20.8	$51,030	66
Acadien provincial	4,171	328	316.1	13.2				18.8	19.2	16.1	$49,748	23
Total	**158,205**	**9,926**	**9,611.2**	**16.5**				**23.5**	**25.4**	**23.7**	**$52,019**	**466**
Historical												
1998-99	160,011	9,913	9,620.9	16.6	78.9	94.5	9.4			23.0	$51,229	471
1997-98	162,359	9,729	9,396.1	17.3	79.2	94.8	9.9			23.5	$49,246	462
1996-97	163,941	9,712	9,384.3	17.5	78.4	93.4	10.2			24.0	$49,322	461
1995-96	164,020	9,659	9,356.1	17.5	74.9	90.7	10.9			24.0	$49,450	472
1990-91	165,739	10,684	10,417.4	15.9	67.0	84.4	12.1			22.5	$47,799	500
1985-86	172,614	10,751	10,551.2	16.4	61.8	77.8	9.2				$38,143	554

Notes:

(1) FTE - Full-Time Equivalent is the number of full- and part-time educators expressed as full-time equivalency.

(2) Graduation, Retention, and Withdrawal Rates for 1999-00 are not available until 2000-01.

(3) Due to the revision in reporting formats for Elementary and Junior class sizes, historical information is not available.

Selected Summary Information: 1999-00 Budget (page 2 of 2)

Board	Revenues: Province of Nova Scotia	Revenues: Government of Canada	Revenues: Municipal Grants	Revenues: Other Revenues(1)	Total Expenditures	Total Expenditures per Student	Regional Board Management Expenditures per Student	School Administration & Instruction Expenditures per Student
Cape Breton-Victoria	$95,478,758	$828,232	$12,175,800	$1,389,592	$109,872,382	$5,033	$137	$3,663
Strait	$51,119,934	$1,109,231	$7,880,700	$412,206	$60,522,071	$5,804	$225	$3,704
Chignecto-Central	$109,401,500	$1,983,000	$18,339,434	$2,996,938	$132,720,872	$4,922	$142	$3,412
Halifax	$207,280,400	$1,450,000	$76,969,600	$3,365,000	$289,085,000	$4,969	$127	$3,563
Annapolis Valley	$69,815,477	$780,705	$14,528,600	$2,702,055	$87,826,837	$4,869	$142	$3,246
Southwest	$72,717,200	$1,089,417	$18,120,500	$797,716	$92,724,833	$4,986	$154	$3,388
Acadien provincial	$24,938,045	$1,136,123	$0	$267,000	$26,341,168	$6,315	$466	$4,174
Total	**$630,751,314**	**$8,376,708**	**$148,034,634**	**$11,930,507**	**$799,093,163**	**$5,051**	**$151**	**$3,520**
Historical								
1998-99 Actual	$617,859,363	$8,625,383	$145,615,204	$13,155,298	$795,993,580	$4,975	$164	$3,306
1997-98 Actual	$577,902,309	$8,691,850	$139,640,064	$12,882,372	$756,744,531	$4,661	$161	$3,228
1996-97 Actual	$557,410,677	$8,954,851	$138,277,142	$13,830,958	$725,211,876	$4,424	$153	$3,085
1995-96 Actual	$568,479,857	$10,698,065	$138,127,646	$19,025,015	$727,338,081	$4,434	$160	$3,132
1990-91 Actual	$559,966,459	$9,207,763	$128,719,490	$18,134,579	$713,113,216	$4,303	$166	$3,055
1985-86	Not Available				Not Available			

Note:

(1) Includes Board Revenues, Transfers from Reserves, and Prior Years' Surplus

Student Information

This section presents information on students. Enrolment by board, grade, and gender is included as well as information on graduation, retention, and withdrawal rates. All data are as of September 30, 1999, with the exception of graduation, retention, and withdrawal rates which reflect the 1998-99 school year.

Enrolment

Total enrolment for the 1999-00 school year was 158,205, a decrease of 1.1 percent from the previous year. Projected enrolments continue to decrease with an overall decrease of 7.7 percent in the next five years. Elementary enrolments show a 12.0 percent decrease, while junior and senior enrolments are decreasing by approximately 3 percent.

Graduation, Retention, and Withdrawal

Graduation rates had a slight decrease in the 1998-99 school year to 78.9 percent from 79.2 in 1997-98. The retention rate also decreased, from 94.8 percent in 1997-98 to 94.5 percent in 1998-99. The withdrawal rate decreased in 1998-99 to 9.4 percent from 9.9 percent in 1997-98.

Graduation Rate is the percentage of the number of students receiving a High School Graduation Diploma compared to the number of students in grade 9 three years earlier.

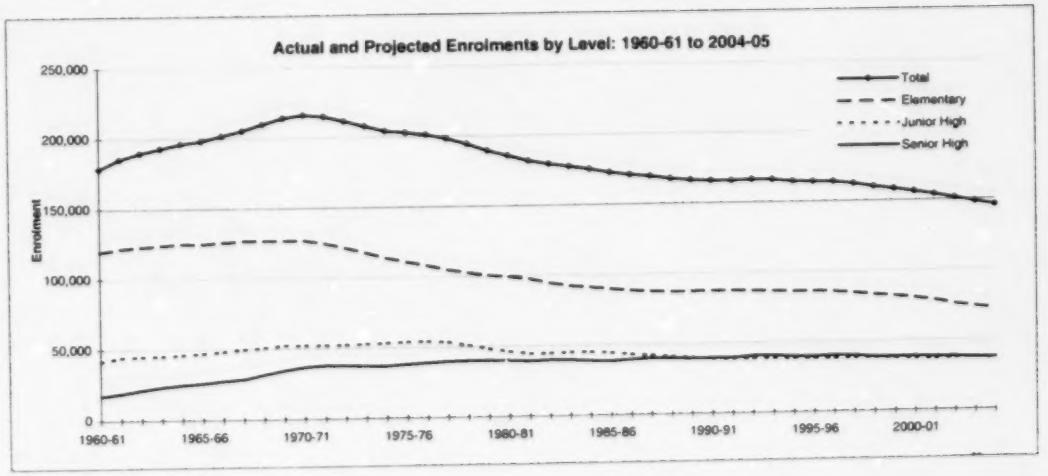
Retention Rate is the percentage of the number of students in grade 12 compared to the number of students in grade 9 three years earlier.

Senior Withdrawal Rate is the percentage of students from grades 10, 11, and 12 who withdraw in a single year compared with the total enrolment for those grades.

Actual and Projected Enrolments by Board(1)

Board	Actual Enrolments 1985-86	1990-91	1995-96
Annapolis	4,219	4,054	3,902
Antigonish	4,783	4,529	4,358
Cape Breton	20,768	19,090	17,967
Clare-Argyle	3,344	3,084	2,908
Colchester-E Hants	13,210	13,168	12,889
Cumberland	6,641	6,104	5,928
Dartmouth	11,443	11,020	10,680
Digby	2,477	2,068	1,913
Guysborough	2,740	2,455	2,165
Halifax	15,430	14,266	14,336
Halifax Co-Bedford	28,186	30,123	32,770
Hants West	3,714	3,489	3,401
Inverness	5,070	4,559	4,199
Kings	11,405	11,157	11,293
Lunenburg	8,537	8,283	8,183
Northside-Victoria	7,596	6,983	6,426
Pictou	10,831	10,311	9,369
Queens	2,648	2,284	2,019
Richmond	2,855	2,358	2,053
Shelburne	3,380	3,014	3,005
Yarmouth	3,337	3,340	3,445
Grand Havre			811
Total	**172,614**	**165,739**	**164,020**

Board	Actual Enrolments 1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	Projected Enrolments 2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
Cape Breton-Victoria	24,024	23,394	22,411	21,829	*21,259*	*20,617*	*19,965*	*19,315*	*18,685*
Strait	11,476	11,156	10,758	10,427	*10,116*	*9,826*	*9,447*	*9,137*	*8,781*
Chignecto-Central	28,140	27,716	27,275	26,966	*26,585*	*26,170*	*25,792*	*25,420*	*25,036*
Halifax	58,219	58,348	58,297	58,175	*58,030*	*57,600*	*57,197*	*56,669*	*56,008*
Annapolis Valley	18,511	18,458	18,219	18,039	*17,849*	*17,687*	*17,350*	*17,121*	*16,824*
Southwest	19,418	19,105	18,797	18,598	*18,240*	*17,816*	*17,402*	*16,937*	*16,564*
Acadien provincial	4,153	4,182	4,254	4,171	*4,221*	*4,210*	*4,203*	*4,200*	*4,178*
Total	**153,941**	**162,359**	**160,011**	**158,205**	***156,300***	***153,926***	***151,356***	***148,799***	***146,076***



Note:

(1) This table reflects the amalgamation of school boards and the creation of the Acadien provincial between the 1995-96 and 1996-97 school year.

Actual and Projected Enrolments by Grade

Grade	Actual Enrolments 1985-86	1990-91	1995-96	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00	Projected Enrolments 2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2003-04
Primary	12,730	12,725	12,650	12,018	11,585	11,249	10,886	*10,527*	*10,347*	*9,859*	*10,041*	*9,746*
1	12,468	12,501	12,252	12,647	11,925	11,531	11,266	*10,860*	*10,501*	*10,321*	*9,836*	*10,017*
2	12,165	12,455	12,026	12,197	12,502	11,818	11,508	*11,194*	*10,791*	*10,434*	*10,255*	*9,773*
3	12,306	12,093	11,995	11,904	12,018	12,399	11,804	*11,431*	*11,119*	*10,720*	*10,366*	*10,187*
4	12,940	12,224	12,338	11,968	11,869	12,026	12,405	*11,800*	*11,427*	*11,115*	*10,717*	*10,362*
5	12,868	12,385	12,358	12,367	11,964	11,800	12,028	*12,406*	*11,800*	*11,426*	*11,115*	*10,716*
6	12,964	12,249	12,226	12,360	12,273	11,939	11,833	*11,994*	*12,370*	*11,763*	*11,390*	*11,081*
Elementary Other	1,295	671	335	295	272	231	200	*205*	*200*	*193*	*188*	*182*
Subtotal	**89,736**	**87,303**	**86,180**	**85,756**	**84,408**	**82,993**	**81,930**	***80,417***	***78,555***	***75,831***	***73,908***	***72,064***
7	14,609	12,792	12,748	12,695	12,672	12,588	12,237	*12,162*	*12,327*	*12,712*	*12,087*	*11,704*
8	14,657	12,840	12,555	12,688	12,632	12,776	12,639	*12,297*	*12,220*	*12,386*	*12,772*	*12,141*
9	14,387	12,859	12,618	12,350	12,599	12,565	12,681	*12,540*	*12,197*	*12,123*	*12,285*	*12,663*
Junior Other	807	578	396	384	407	317	253	*257*	*253*	*253*	*251*	*245*
Subtotal	**44,460**	**39,069**	**38,317**	**38,117**	**38,310**	**38,246**	**37,810**	***37,256***	***36,997***	***37,474***	***37,395***	***36,753***
10	13,393	12,912	13,442	13,436	12,992	13,149	12,974	*13,178*	*13,027*	*12,672*	*12,605*	*12,773*
11	11,704	11,955	12,117	12,408	12,455	11,903	12,279	*12,003*	*12,189*	*12,048*	*11,722*	*11,663*
12	10,777	11,578	11,310	11,757	12,007	11,919	11,683	*12,363*	*12,087*	*12,274*	*12,136*	*11,806*
Senior Returning Graduates(1)			757	632	593	453	447					
Business Education	190	399	374	298	645	156	112	*132*	*132*	*133*	*131*	*131*
Intermediate Industrial(2)	475	560	497	444	223							
Senior Other	408	554	653	679	314	824	642	*610*	*603*	*595*	*587*	*582*
Subtotal	**36,947**	**37,958**	**39,150**	**39,654**	**39,229**	**38,404**	**38,137**	***38,286***	***38,038***	***37,722***	***37,181***	***36,955***
Vocational(3)	1,471	1,409	373	414	412	368	328	*341*	*336*	*329*	*315*	*304*
Total	**172,614**	**165,739**	**164,020**	**163,941**	**162,359**	**160,011**	**158,205**	***156,300***	***153,926***	***151,356***	***148,799***	***146,076***

Notes:

(1) Senior Returning Graduates' information was not collected as a separate category prior to 1994-95. For projection purposes, they are included with Grade 12.

(2) Intermediate Industrial program not offered as of 1998-99.

(3) High School vocational programs. As of 1991-92, these programs in the former boards of Colchester-East Hants and Kings became part of the N.S. Community College.

Enrolments by Grade and Gender

Grade	1985-86 Male	1985-86 Female	1985-86 Total	1990-91 Male	1990-91 Female	1990-91 Total	1995-96 Male	1995-96 Female	1995-96 Total	1998-99 Male	1998-99 Female	1998-99 Total	1999-00 Male	1999-00 Female	1999-00 Total
Primary	6,605	6,125	12,730	6,679	6,046	12,725	6,472	6,178	12,650	5,754	5,495	11,249	5,614	5,272	10,886
1	6,419	6,049	12,468	6,504	5,997	12,501	6,332	5,920	12,252	5,905	5,626	11,531	5,763	5,503	11,266
2	6,221	5,944	12,165	6,426	6,029	12,455	6,086	5,940	12,026	6,081	5,737	11,818	5,879	5,629	11,508
3	6,326	5,980	12,306	6,208	5,885	12,093	6,069	5,926	11,995	6,354	6,045	12,399	6,068	5,736	11,804
4	6,811	6,129	12,940	6,200	6,024	12,224	6,348	5,990	12,338	6,175	5,851	12,026	6,333	6,072	12,405
5	6,667	6,201	12,868	6,340	6,045	12,385	6,417	5,941	12,358	5,974	5,826	11,800	6,160	5,868	12,028
6	6,654	6,310	12,964	6,261	5,988	12,249	6,287	5,939	12,226	6,047	5,892	11,939	5,999	5,834	11,833
Elementary Other	811	484	1,295	422	249	671	227	108	335	155	76	231	126	74	200
Subtotal	**46,514**	**43,222**	**89,736**	**45,040**	**42,263**	**87,303**	**44,238**	**41,942**	**86,180**	**42,445**	**40,548**	**82,993**	**41,942**	**39,988**	**81,930**
7	7,670	6,939	14,609	6,565	6,227	12,792	6,644	6,104	12,748	6,499	6,089	12,588	6,228	6,009	12,237
8	7,554	7,103	14,657	6,690	6,150	12,840	6,514	6,041	12,555	6,762	6,014	12,776	6,560	6,079	12,639
9	7,236	7,151	14,387	6,559	6,300	12,859	6,343	6,275	12,618	6,531	6,034	12,565	6,707	5,974	12,681
Junior Other	514	293	807	375	203	578	252	144	396	198	119	317	152	101	253
Subtotal	**22,974**	**21,486**	**44,460**	**20,189**	**18,880**	**39,069**	**19,753**	**18,564**	**38,317**	**19,990**	**18,256**	**38,246**	**19,647**	**18,163**	**37,810**
10	6,721	6,672	13,393	6,559	6,353	12,912	6,937	6,505	13,442	6,708	6,441	13,149	6,733	6,241	12,974
11	5,753	5,951	11,704	6,058	5,897	11,955	6,126	5,991	12,117	6,119	5,784	11,903	6,222	6,057	12,279
12	5,208	5,569	10,777	5,753	5,825	11,578	5,737	5,573	11,310	5,902	6,017	11,919	5,897	5,786	11,683
Senior Returning Graduates(1)							453	304	757	265	188	453	262	185	447
Business Education	7	183	190	40	359	399	78	296	374	28	128	156	22	90	112
Intermediate Industrial(2)	370	105	475	402	158	560	353	144	497						
Senior Other	257	151	408	341	213	554	416	237	653	556	268	824	435	207	642
Subtotal	**18,316**	**18,631**	**36,947**	**19,153**	**18,805**	**37,958**	**20,100**	**19,050**	**39,150**	**19,578**	**18,826**	**38,404**	**19,571**	**18,566**	**38,137**
Vocational(3)	937	534	1,471	841	568	1,409	247	126	373	289	79	368	244	84	328
Total	**88,741**	**83,873**	**172,614**	**85,223**	**80,516**	**165,739**	**84,338**	**79,682**	**164,020**	**82,302**	**77,709**	**160,011**	**81,404**	**76,801**	**158,205**

Notes:

(1) Senior Returning Graduates' information was not collected as a separate category prior to 1994-95. For projection purposes, they are included with Grade 12.

(2) Intermediate Industrial program not offered as of 1998-99.

(3) High School vocational programs. As of 1991-92, these programs in the former boards of Colchester-East Hants and Kings became part of the N.S. Community College.

Graduation, Retention, and Withdrawal Rates: 1998-99(1)

Board	Grade 12 Enrolment September 30th	Grade 12 Students Eligible to Graduate	Grade 12 Graduating Students	Year	Grade 9 Enrolment	GRADUATION RATE(2) Graduates as percent of Grade 9 Enrolment	Graduates as percent of Grade 12 Enrolment	Graduates as percent of Eligible Students	RETENTION RATE(2)	SENIOR WITHDRAWAL RATE
Cape Breton-Victoria	1,884	1,784	1,541				81.8	86.4		8.2
Strait	944	934	872				92.4	93.4		4.7
Chignecto-Central	1,990	1,908	1,739				87.4	91.1		10.7
Halifax	4,106	3,869	3,279				79.9	84.8		11.2
Annapolis Valley	1,367	1,293	1,140				83.4	88.2		8.5
Southwest	1,398	1,323	1,164				83.3	88.0		8.7
Acadien provincial	230	223	215				93.5	96.4		1.3
Total	**11,919**	**11,334**	**9,950**	**1995-96**	**12,618**	**78.9**	**83.5**	**87.8**	**94.5**	**9.4**
Male	5,902	5,521	4,704	1995-96	6,343	74.2	79.7	85.2	93.0	11.2
Female	6,017	5,813	5,246	1995-96	6,275	83.6	87.2	90.2	95.9	7.5
Total	**11,919**	**11,334**	**9,950**	**1995-96**	**12,618**	**78.9**	**83.5**	**87.8**	**94.5**	**9.4**
Historical										
1997-98	12,007	11,614	10,041	1994-95	12,672	79.2	83.6	86.5	94.8	9.9
1996-97	11,757	11,109	9,875	1993-94	12,593	78.4	84.0	88.9	93.4	10.2
1995-96	11,310	10,883	9,341	1992-93	12,467	74.9	82.6	85.8	90.7	10.9
1990-91	11,578	10,757	9,194	1987-88	13,715	67.0	79.4	85.5	84.4	12.1
1985-86	10,777	9,969	8,561	1982-83	13,859	61.8	79.4	85.9	77.8	9.2

Notes:

(1) The Graduation, Retention, and Senior Withdrawal Rates for 1999-00 are not available until 2000-01.

(2) Due to the amalgamation of school boards in 1996-97, Graduation and Retention Rates based on Grade 9 board enrolments are not available.

Student Withdrawals by Grade: 1998-99(1)

Board	Total Number	Total % (2)	Grade 7 No.	Grade 7 %	Grade 8 No.	Grade 8 %	Grade 9 No.	Grade 9 %	Junior Subtotal No.	Junior Subtotal %	Grade 10 No.	Grade 10 %	Grade 11 No.	Grade 11 %	Grade12 No.	Grade12 %	Senior Subtotal No.	Senior Subtotal %
Cape Breton-Victoria	**504**	**4.6%**	1	0.1%	14	0.8%	33	1.9%	**48**	**0.9%**	183	9.6%	159	9.2%	114	6.1%	**456**	**8.2%**
Strait	**151**	**2.8%**	0	0.0%	6	0.7%	17	1.7%	**23**	**0.8%**	43	4.8%	50	5.6%	35	3.7%	**128**	**4.7%**
Chignecto-Central	**799**	**6.2%**	12	0.6%	30	1.3%	87	4.0%	**129**	**2.0%**	277	12.3%	219	10.8%	174	8.7%	**670**	**10.7%**
Halifax	**1,570**	**6.0%**	17	0.4%	50	1.1%	58	1.4%	**125**	**0.9%**	538	11.4%	466	11.3%	441	10.7%	**1,445**	**11.2%**
Annapolis Valley	**470**	**5.4%**	7	0.5%	35	2.4%	65	4.2%	**107**	**2.4%**	136	9.2%	131	9.3%	96	7.0%	**363**	**8.5%**
Southwest	**451**	**4.9%**	3	0.2%	10	0.6%	46	3.0%	**59**	**1.3%**	155	9.7%	144	9.4%	93	6.7%	**392**	**8.7%**
Acadien provincial	**11**	**0.7%**	1	0.3%	0	0.0%	1	0.4%	**2**	**0.2%**	0	0.0%	6	3.1%	3	1.3%	**9**	**1.3%**
Total	**3,956**	**5.3%**	**41**	**0.3%**	**145**	**1.1%**	**307**	**2.4%**	**493**	**1.3%**	**1,332**	**10.1%**	**1,175**	**9.9%**	**956**	**8.0%**	**3,463**	**9.4%**
Historical																		
1997-98	4,254	5.6%	68	0.5%	142	1.1%	341	2.7%	551	1.5%	1,454	11.2%	1,230	9.9%	1,019	8.5%	3,703	9.9%
1996-97	4,537	6.0%	79	0.6%	191	1.5%	440	3.6%	710	1.9%	1,502	11.2%	1,258	10.1%	1,067	9.1%	3,827	10.2%
1995-96	4,771	6.4%	117	0.9%	226	1.8%	404	3.2%	747	2.0%	1,653	12.3%	1,262	10.4%	1,109	9.8%	4,024	10.9%
1990-91	5,569	7.4%	150	1.2%	365	2.8%	652	5.1%	1,167	3.0%	1,708	13.2%	1,457	12.2%	1,237	10.7%	4,402	12.1%
1985-86	4,575	5.8%	159	1.1%	439	3.0%	683	4.7%	1,281	2.9%	1,291	9.6%	1,160	9.9%	843	7.8%	3,294	9.2%

Notes:

(1) Student Withdrawals for 1999-00 are not available until 2000-01.

(2) Percentages are based on the total number of students registered for each grade.

Junior Withdrawals by Gender: 1998-99(1)

GRADE 7

Year	Enrolment			Withdrawal			Percent		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
1998-99	6,499	6,089	12,588	30	11	41	0.5%	0.2%	0.3%
1997-98	6,689	5,983	12,672	40	28	68	0.6%	0.5%	0.5%
1996-97	6,628	6,067	12,695	54	25	79	0.8%	0.4%	0.6%
1995-96	6,644	6,104	12,748	74	43	117	1.1%	0.7%	0.9%
1990-91	6,565	6,227	12,792	99	51	150	1.5%	0.8%	1.2%
1985-86	7,670	6,939	14,609	105	54	159	1.4%	0.8%	1.1%

GRADE 8

Enrolment			Withdrawal			Percent		
Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
6,762	6,014	12,776	96	49	145	1.4%	0.8%	1.1%
6,602	6,030	12,632	96	46	142	1.5%	0.8%	1.1%
6,513	6,175	12,688	125	66	191	1.9%	1.1%	1.5%
6,514	6,041	12,555	146	80	226	2.2%	1.3%	1.8%
6,690	6,150	12,840	229	136	365	3.4%	2.2%	2.8%
7,554	7,103	14,657	278	161	439	3.7%	2.3%	3.0%

GRADE 9

Year	Enrolment			Withdrawal			Percent		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
1998-99	6,531	6,034	12,565	193	114	307	3.0%	1.9%	2.4%
1997-98	6,492	6,107	12,599	197	144	341	3.0%	2.4%	2.7%
1996-97	6,328	6,022	12,350	250	190	440	4.0%	3.2%	3.6%
1995-96	6,343	6,275	12,618	239	165	404	3.8%	2.6%	3.2%
1990-91	6,559	6,300	12,859	404	248	652	6.2%	3.9%	5.1%
1985-86	7,236	7,151	14,387	414	269	683	5.7%	3.8%	4.7%

JUNIOR TOTAL

Enrolment			Withdrawal			Percent		
Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
19,792	18,137	**37,929**	319	174	**493**	**1.6%**	**1.0%**	**1.3%**
19,783	18,120	**37,903**	333	218	**551**	**1.7%**	**1.2%**	**1.5%**
19,469	18,264	**37,733**	429	281	**710**	**2.2%**	**1.5%**	**1.9%**
19,501	18,420	**37,921**	459	288	**747**	**2.4%**	**1.6%**	**2.0%**
19,814	18,677	**38,491**	732	435	**1,167**	**3.7%**	**2.3%**	**3.0%**
22,460	21,193	**43,653**	797	484	**1,281**	**3.5%**	**2.3%**	**2.9%**

Notes:

(1) Student Withdrawals for 1999-00 are not available until 2000-01.

(2) Percentages are based on the total number of students registered for each grade.

Senior Withdrawals by Gender: 1998-99(1)

GRADE 10

Year	Enrolment			Withdrawal			Percent		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
1998-99	6,708	6,441	13,149	777	555	1332	11.6%	8.6%	10.1%
1997-98	6,689	6,303	12,992	903	551	1454	13.5%	8.7%	11.2%
1996-97	6,811	6,625	13,436	883	619	1502	13.0%	9.3%	11.2%
1995-96	6,937	6,505	13,442	1036	617	1653	14.9%	9.5%	12.3%
1990-91	6,559	6,353	12,912	998	710	1708	15.2%	11.2%	13.2%
1985-86	6,721	6,672	13,393	767	524	1291	11.4%	7.9%	9.6%

GRADE 11

Enrolment			Withdrawal			Percent		
Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
6,119	5,784	11,903	761	414	1175	12.4%	7.2%	9.9%
6,275	6,180	12,455	738	492	1230	11.8%	8.0%	9.9%
6,264	6,144	12,408	742	516	1258	11.8%	8.4%	10.1%
6,126	5,991	12,117	774	488	1262	12.6%	8.1%	10.4%
6,058	5,897	11,955	811	646	1457	13.4%	11.0%	12.2%
5,753	5,951	11,704	655	505	1160	11.4%	8.5%	9.9%

GRADE 12

Year	Enrolment			Withdrawal			Percent		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
1998-99	5,902	6,017	11,919	556	400	956	9.4%	6.6%	8.0%
1997-98	6,008	5,999	12,007	626	393	1019	10.4%	6.6%	8.5%
1996-97	5,861	5,896	11,757	635	432	1067	10.8%	7.3%	9.1%
1995-96	5,737	5,573	11,310	640	469	1109	11.2%	8.4%	9.8%
1990-91	5,753	5,825	11,578	649	588	1237	11.3%	10.1%	10.7%
1985-86	5,208	5,569	10,777	435	408	843	8.4%	7.3%	7.8%

SENIOR TOTAL

Enrolment			Withdrawal			Percent		
Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
18,729	18,242	**36,971**	2094	1369	**3,463**	**11.2%**	**7.5%**	**9.4%**
18,972	18,482	**37,454**	2267	1436	**3,703**	**11.9%**	**7.8%**	**9.9%**
18,936	18,665	**37,601**	2260	1567	**3,827**	**11.9%**	**8.4%**	**10.2%**
18,800	18,069	**36,869**	2450	1574	**4,024**	**13.0%**	**8.7%**	**10.9%**
18,370	18,075	**36,445**	2458	1944	**4,402**	**13.4%**	**10.8%**	**12.1%**
17,682	18,192	**35,874**	1857	1437	**3,294**	**10.5%**	**7.9%**	**9.2%**

Notes:

(1) Student Withdrawals for 1999-00 are not available until 2000-01

(2) Percentages are based on the total number of students registered for each grade

French Program Enrolments by Board: 1999-00 (page 1 of 2)

Board	Total of all Programs				Core French				Extended Core			
	Number of Students	Minutes per Cycle(1)	Percent of Time(2)	Full-Time Equivalent	Number of Students	Minutes per Cycle	Percent of Time	Full-Time Equivalent	Number of Students	Minutes per Cycle	Percent of Time	Full-Time Equivalent
Cape Breton-Victoria	11,330	250	13.2	1,605.0	10,238	175	9.4	965.0	380	515	28.5	108.3
Strait	6,478	378	17.3	1,166.1	5,670	232	10.0	566.9	13	225 (4)	12.1	1.6
Chignecto-Central	14,536	256	14.0	2,052.0	12,636	199	10.9	1,378.0	1,569	496	26.6	416.8
Halifax	32,943	379	21.5	7,635.4	25,848	159	9.2	2,367.4	342	477	23.2	79.6
Annapolis Valley	9,888	300	16.1	1,608.4	7,906	208	11.6	915.9	1,682	530	26.7	449.1
Southwest	12,114	340	17.1	2,110.6	10,316	175	9.1	942.7	186	571	24.2	45.0
Acadien provincial	4,169	1,878	86.7	4,047.4								
Total	**91,458**	**398**	**20.8**	**20,224.9**	**72,614**	**182**	**9.8**	**7,135.9**	**4,172**	**512**	**26.4**	**1,100.4**
Historical												
1998-99	92,688	394	19.9	20,220.0	74,322	181	9.6	7,134.7	4,388	527	26.2	1,148.9
1997-98	93,221	373	19.5	19,910.2	75,828	186	9.8	7,473.1	4,248	557	26.3	1,117.2
1996-97	95,618	352	18.8	19,499.0	79,001	184	9.9	7,802.1	4,121	544	26.4	1,090.1
1995-96	96,948	335	18.6	19,318.0	81,243	184	10.1	8,218.1	3,788	515	26.6	1,007.7
1990-91(3)	101,748	275	16.5	17,596.1	91,472	180	10.7	9,775.1	1,511	493	27.8	420.8
1985-86	Not Available											

Notes:

(1) Cycle - The number of days in the instructional schedule of a school and may vary from four to eight days

(2) Percent of Time - The average percentage of the standard school schedule (300 instructional minutes per day) that the students receive instruction in French

(3) Immersion Program includes both Early and Late Immersion Students

(4) Not semestered

French Program Enrolments by Board: 1999-00 (page 2 of 2)

Board	Early Immersion				Late Immersion				Acadian & Francophone			
	Number of Students	Minutes per Cycle	Percent of Time	Full-Time Equivalent	Number of Students	Minutes per Cycle	Percent of Time	Full-Time Equivalent	Number of Students	Minutes per Cycle	Percent of Time	Full-Time Equivalent
Cape Breton-Victoria	Program Not Offered				712	1,184	59.1	531.7				
Strait	795	1,422	69.9	597.6	Program Not Offered							
Chignecto-Central	306	1,333 (4)	74.7	242.8	25	918 (4)	57.4	14.4				
Halifax	3,084	1,143	76.3	2,454.2	3,669	1,274	62.4	2,734.2				
Annapolis Valley	127	1,641 (4)	96.5	127.0	173	1,299 (4)	62.7	116.4				
Southwest	684	1,619 (4)	79.5	557.3	928	1,178	57.9	565.6				
Acadien provincial									4,169	1,878	86.7	4,047.4
Total	**4,996**	**1,277**	**76.1**	**3,978.9**	**5,507**	**1,245**	**61.2**	**3,962.3**	**4,169**	**1,878**	**86.7**	**4,047.4**
Historical												
1998-99	4,530	1,239	74.8	3,899.2	5,200	1,238	62.2	4,088.7	4,248	2,041	83.5	3,948.5
1997-98	4,164	1,227	76.2	3,594.0	4,800	1,242	62.5	3,810.8	4,181	1,738	82.5	3,915.1
1996-97	4,052	1,168	74.2	3,351.3	4,387	1,218	63.1	3,532.8	4,057	1,679	81.4	3,722.7
1995-96	3,869	1,142	75.8	3,172.6	4,091	1,167	64.0	3,332.7	3,957	1,602	81.7	3,586.9
1990-91 (3)	5,140	1,165	74.5	4,416.5					3,625	1,331	74.0	2,983.7
1985-86												

French Program Enrolments by Grade: 1999-00 (page 1 of 2)

Grade	Total of all Programs				Core French				Extended Core			
	Number of Students	Minutes per Cycle(1)	Percent of Time(2)	Full-Time Equivalent	Number of Students	Minutes per Cycle	Percent of Time	Full-Time Equivalent	Number of Students	Minutes per Cycle	Percent of Time	Full-Time Equivalent
Primary	1,424	1,376	77.9	1,138.1	289	44	2.5	7.5				
1	1,378	1,247	69.2	975.5	409	45	2.5	10.3				
2	1,208	1,258	69.3	852.6	364	62	3.4	12.4				
3	2,631	512	27.9	793.3	1,901	88	5.3	100.4				
4	12,403	232	13.2	1,711.3	11,535	137	8.1	933.4				
5	12,026	227	12.8	1,613.7	11,237	137	8.1	908.0				
6	11,824	229	12.8	1,579.0	11,127	148	8.7	963.5				
Elementary Other	30	594	26.5	9.4	22	97	6.5	1.4				
Subtotal	**42,924**	**347**	**19.4**	**8,672.9**	**36,884**	**135**	**8.0**	**2,936.9**				
7	12,119	427	23.2	3,101.5	8,827	188	10.7	947.1	1,056	452	24.9	260.7
8	12,318	385	20.9	2,821.7	9,512	191	10.8	1,029.9	1,035	461	25.5	264.0
9	12,289	390	20.7	2,748.5	9,878	220	11.8	1,167.3	835	565	28.4	237.0
Junior Other	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0.0
Subtotal	**36,726**	**401**	**21.6**	**8,671.7**	**28,217**	**200**	**11.1**	**3,144.3**	**2,926**	**487**	**26.0**	**761.7**
10	6,039	526	21.7	1,363.4	4,269	338	14.1	603.5	576	573	27.5	158.2
11	3,395	630	25.5	918.0	1,946	343	13.9	270.5	421	577	27.2	114.9
12	2,367	629	24.7	598.1	1,291	348	13.9	179.9	249	557	26.3	65.6
Senior Returning Graduates	7	367	12.8	0.8	7	367	12.8	0.8	0	0	0.0	0.0
Senior Other	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0.0
Subtotal	**11,808**	**577**	**23.4**	**2,880.3**	**7,513**	**341**	**14.0**	**1,054.7**	**1,246**	**571**	**27.1**	**338.7**
Total	**91,458**	**398**	**20.8**	**20,224.9**	**72,614**	**182**	**9.8**	**7,135.9**	**4,172**	**512**	**26.4**	**1,100.4**

Notes:

(1) Cycle - The number of days in the instructional schedule of a school and may vary from four to eight days.

(2) Percent of Time - The average percentage of the standard school schedule (300 instructional minutes per day) that the students receive instruction in French.

French Program Enrolments by Grade: 1999-00 (page 2 of 2)

Grade	Early Immersion				Late Immersion				Acadian & Francophone			
	Number of Students	Minutes per Cycle	Percent of Time	Full-Time Equivalent	Number of Students	Minutes per Cycle	Percent of Time	Full-Time Equivalent	Number of Students	Minutes per Cycle	Percent of Time	Full-Time Equivalent
Primary	749	1,535	95.7	744.6					386	2,064	99.9	386.0
1	560	1,530	95.5	556.2					409	2,063	99.9	409.0
2	435	1,491	95.5	431.2					409	2,074	99.9	409.0
3	336	1,337	83.9	298.9					394	1,850	89.2	394.0
4	489	1,271	76.2	398.9					379	1,804	86.6	379.0
5	448	1,275	76.0	364.7					341	1,838	84.2	341.0
6	374	1,234	73.9	292.5					323	1,849	83.3	323.0
Elementary Other	0	0	0.0	0.0					8	1,960	81.7	8.0
Subtotal	**3,391**	**1,403**	**86.7**	**3,087.0**					**2,649**	**1,941**	**92.9**	**2,649.0**
7	365	1,137	67.4	261.3	1,535	1,299	70.4	1,296.4	336	1,864	82.6	336.0
8	304	1,131	67.2	217.2	1,173	1,309	70.8	1,016.6	294	1,928	83.1	294.0
9	267	992	61.5	164.3	1,046	1,310	72.0	922.0	263	1,957	82.8	257.9
Junior Other	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0.0
Subtotal	**936**	**1,094**	**65.7**	**642.8**	**3,754**	**1,305**	**71.0**	**3,235.0**	**893**	**1,913**	**82.8**	**887.9**
10	266	889	37.6	100.2	690	1,096	39.4	272.1	238	1,744	73.6	229.4
11	230	896	37.4	86.0	568	1,162	42.6	264.4	230	1,578	66.9	182.2
12	173	902	36.4	62.9	495	1,095	38.5	190.8	159	1,273	53.8	98.9
Senior Returning Graduates	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0.0
Senior Other	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0.0
Subtotal	**669**	**895**	**37.2**	**249.1**	**1,753**	**1,117**	**40.2**	**727.3**	**627**	**1,564**	**66.1**	**510.5**
Total	**4,996**	**1,277**	**76.1**	**3,978.9**	**5,507**	**1,245**	**61.2**	**3,962.3**	**4,169**	**1,878**	**86.7**	**4,047.4**

Class Information

This section presents class sizes for the elementary, junior, and senior levels for each board. Class size definitions and reporting methods for elementary and junior classes, have been revised over the last year, therefore, historical comparisons are not available for these levels.

Elementary Class Size
The class size definition for the elementary level is the homeroom class size at each grade.

Province-wide average class size for elementary was 23.5 in 1999-00. At the elementary level, 65.5 percent of all classes consisted of 25 students or fewer.

Junior Class Size
The class size definition for the junior level is the Language Arts or French Language Arts class at each grade.

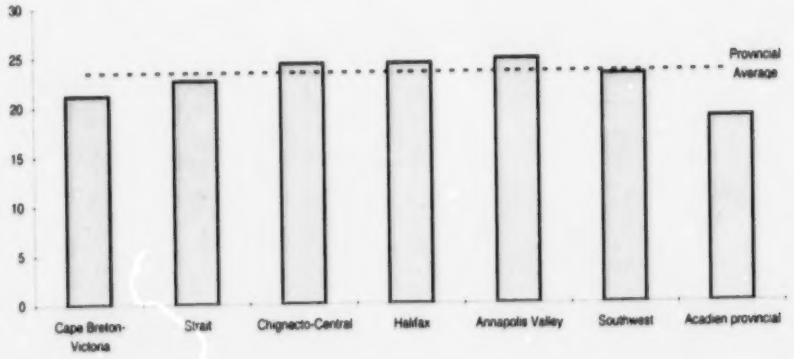
Province-wide average class size for junior was 25.4 in 1999-00. At the junior level, 47.3 percent of classes consisted of 25 or fewer students.

Senior Class Size
Senior classes are defined as any group of students, regardless of size, that occupies one teacher for one full period of instruction.

Average class size for senior was 23.7 in 1999-00. The senior level had 55.8 percent of classes being taught with 25 or fewer students versus 60.6 in the previous year.

Elementary Class Size by Board: 1999-00

Board	Total Classes	Average Class Size	Number of Classes by Size								
			1-5	6-10	11-15	16-20	21-25	26-30	31-35	36-40	40+
Cape Breton-Victoria	493.0	21.2	0.0	5.0	51.0	149.0	201.0	84.0	3.0	0.0	0.0
Strait	219.0	22.7	0.0	2.0	12.0	55.0	84.0	58.0	8.0	0.0	0.0
Chignecto-Central	569.0	24.4	0.0	5.0	13.5	68.0	243.5	199.0	39.0	1.0	0.0
Halifax	1,274.0	24.4	0.0	0.0	16.0	166.0	601.5	444.0	46.5	0.0	0.0
Annapolis Valley	374.0	24.8	0.0	2.0	6.0	24.0	163.0	168.0	11.0	0.0	0.0
Southwest	404.0	23.2	0.0	2.0	13.0	66.0	207.0	104.0	12.0	0.0	0.0
Acadien provincial	140.5	18.8	0.0	6.5	37.0	44.0	33.0	19.0	1.0	0.0	0.0
Total	**3,473.5**	**23.5**	**0.0**	**22.5**	**148.5**	**572.0**	**1,533.0**	**1,076.0**	**120.5**	**1.0**	**0.0**



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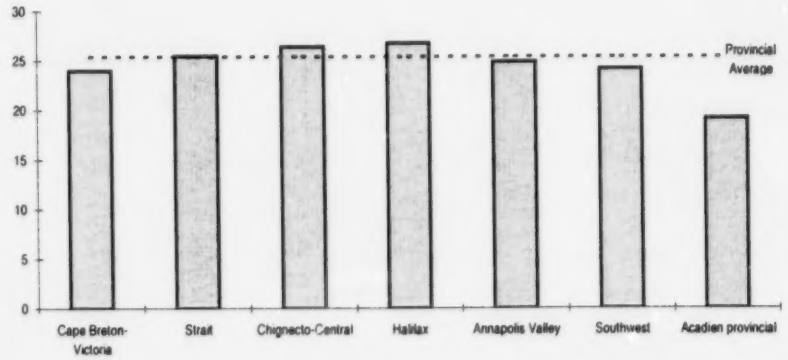
Junior Class Size by Board: 1999-00

Board	Total Classes	Average Class Size	Number of Classes by Size								
			1-5	6-10	11-15	16-20	21-25	26-30	31-35	36-40	40+
Cape Breton-Victoria	213.0	24.0	0.0	4.0	4.0	30.0	94.0	68.0	13.0	0.0	0.0
Strait	105.0	25.5	0.0	1.0	4.0	10.0	28.0	51.0	11.0	0.0	0.0
Chignecto-Central	243.0	26.4	0.0	1.0	1.5	18.0	77.5	102.5	33.5	9.0	0.0
Halifax	496.5	26.8	0.0	0.0	4.0	26.0	136.0	247.0	80.5	3.0	0.0
Annapolis Valley	171.0	24.9	0.0	1.0	3.0	8.0	85.0	64.0	10.0	0.0	0.0
Southwest	186.5	24.2	0.0	2.0	5.5	21.0	89.0	55.0	13.0	1.0	0.0
Acadien provincial	46.5	19.2	0.0	5.5	6.0	17.0	10.0	7.0	1.0	0.0	0.0
Total	**1,461.5**	**25.4**	**0.0**	**14.5**	**28.0**	**130.0**	**519.5**	**594.5**	**162.0**	**13.0**	**0.0**



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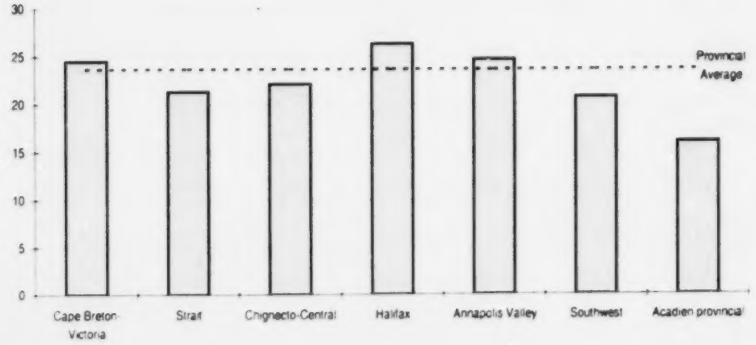
Senior Class Size by Board: 1999-00

Board	Total Classes	Average Class Size	Number of Classes by Size 1-5	6-10	11-15	16-20	21-25	26-30	31-35	36-40	40+
Cape Breton-Victoria	1,698.1	24.5	13.5	49.5	120.0	274.3	426.0	480.0	285.0	46.0	3.8
Strait	1,018.2	21.3	17.0	63.0	148.2	213.0	261.0	222.0	84.0	10.0	0.0
Chignecto-Central	2,055.5	22.1	24.2	117.1	255.4	384.5	569.8	506.0	180.0	16.0	2.5
Halifax	3,763.7	26.3	19.0	90.5	167.5	369.5	903.0	1,171.0	863.0	161.5	18.7
Annapolis Valley	1,278.4	24.7	19.5	29.0	109.5	183.0	280.8	394.8	235.8	19.0	7.0
Southwest	1,521.0	20.8	29.0	89.0	235.0	374.0	395.0	298.0	85.0	14.0	2.0
Acadien provincial	286.0	16.1	36.0	50.0	38.0	71.0	57.0	24.0	9.0	1.0	0.0
Total	**11,620.9**	**23.7**	**158.2**	**488.1**	**1,073.6**	**1,869.3**	**2,892.6**	**3,095.8**	**1,741.8**	**267.5**	**34.0**
Historical											
1998-99	11,396.6	23.0	132.0	520.5	1,171.8	2,086.5	3,002.0	2,865.0	1,392.5	186.0	40.3
1997-98	11,278.1	23.5	107.5	397.0	1,122.5	1,940.3	2,965.5	2,980.0	1,507.3	218.5	39.5
1996-97	11,031.9	24.0	74.5	412.0	1,020.3	1,806.1	2,769.0	2,831.0	1,801.5	274.0	43.5
1995-96	10,670.6	24.0	74.0	413.0	1,000.8	1,826.8	2,566.5	2,728.5	1,722.5	283.0	55.5
1990-91	10,300.2	22.5	Not Available								
1985-86	Not Available										



Staff Information

This section contains figures related to the staffing of Nova Scotia schools and boards.

Teacher in Nova Scotia is defined as "a person who holds a teacher's certificate or a teaching permit issued by the Minister qualifying the person to teach in the public schools in the Province," and "is employed by a school board or the Minister in a teaching, supervisory or other professional capacity relating to education" (*The Education Act, p.2*). This includes administrators and education support, as well as classroom teachers.

Support Staff includes "persons employed in any capacity to assist a school board in providing services for the comfort, assistance, safety and conveyance of students or to provide administrative support to a school board and its schools" (*The Education Act, p.2*). This includes positions such as directors, co-ordinators, maintenance, technical, clerical.

Teachers
There were 9,926 active teachers or 9,611.2 full-time equivalent (FTE) teachers in 1999-00. The 1999-00 ratio of students to full-time equivalent (FTE) teachers in Nova Scotia was 16.5.

Teaching Positions
Teaching staff in Nova Scotia schools consisted of 11.5 percent administrators and 88.5 percent classroom teachers and education support. Men are more likely to hold an administrative position (59.8 percent) versus women at 40.2 percent. Women hold the majority of the classroom and education support positions (69.0 percent).

Age of Teachers
The teaching population in Nova Scotia is aging. More than 50 percent of the teaching staff are now 45 years of age or older.

Teacher Certification
Approximately half of all Nova Scotia teachers are certified at TC6 or above. Although 65.8 percent of all teachers are female, males dominate the highest certification level - TC8 - constituting 60.8 percent of the teachers certified at that level.

Salaries
The average salary for Nova Scotia teachers is $52,019.

Student-Teacher(FTE) Ratio

Board	1998-99 Enrolment	Number of Teachers	Full-Time Equivalents (FTE) (1)	Student-Teacher(FTE) Ratio	1999-00 Enrolment	Number of Teachers	Full-Time Equivalents (FTE)	Student-Teacher(FTE) Ratio
Cape Breton-Victoria	22,411	1,425	1,415.5	15.8	21,829	1,425	1,417.8	15.4
Strait	10,758	673	670.3	16.0	10,427	677	673.6	15.5
Chignecto-Central	27,275	1,653	1,585.7	17.2	26,966	1,661	1,593.4	16.9
Halifax	58,297	3,581	3,468.0	16.8	58,175	3,562	3,437.4	16.9
Annapolis Valley	18,219	1,107	1,055.6	17.3	18,039	1,105	1,048.7	17.2
Southwest	18,797	1,160	1,120.5	16.8	18,598	1,168	1,124.2	16.5
Acadien provincial	4,254	314	305.3	13.9	4,171	328	316.1	13.2
Total	**160,011**	**9,913**	**9,620.9**	**16.6**	**158,205**	**9,926**	**9,611.2**	**16.5**

Historical				
1998-99	160,011	9,913	9,620.9	16.6
1997-98	162,359	9,729	9,396.1	17.3
1996-97	163,941	9,712	9,384.3	17.5
1995-96	164,020	9,659	9,356.1	17.5
1990-91	165,739	10,684	10,417.4	15.9
1985-86	172,614	10,751	10,551.2	16.4

Note:
(1) FTE - Full-Time Equivalent is the number of full- and part-time educators expressed as full-time equivalency.

Teachers Employed: 1999-00

Board	Active Teachers	Teachers on Leave							Total Teachers (Active & On Leave)
		Educational Sabbatical	Leave of Absence	Deferred Salary	On Loan	On Exchange	Other(1)	Total	
Cape Breton-Victoria	1,425	0	13	7	4	0	25	49	1,474
Strait	677	4	15	10	1	0	16	46	723
Chignecto-Central	1,661	9	45	22	2	1	35	114	1,775
Halifax	3,562	15	70	70	34	3	72	264	3,826
Annapolis Valley	1,105	9	17	15	4	0	32	77	1,182
Southwest	1,168	10	28	12	3	0	28	81	1,249
Acadien provincial	328	1	12	2	6	0	4	25	353
Total	**9,926**	**48**	**200**	**138**	**54**	**4**	**212**	**656**	**10,582**
Historical									
1998-99	9,913	39	197	137	37	8	189	607	10,520
1997-98	9,729	4	162	140	30	16	178	530	10,259
1996-97	9,712	2	148	165	33	15	127	490	10,202
1995-96	9,659	6	154	177	26	19	125	507	10,166
1990-91	10,684	63	177	201	24	22	45	532	11,216
1985-86	10,751	58	198	91	0	22	12	381	11,132

Note:

(1) Other Leave refers to maternity leave and sick leave, and are reported as of September.

Teacher Mobility: 1999-00

Board	Total Number of Teachers(FTE)	Return to Board(1)	On Leave Previous Year(2)	Term Renewal(3)	Term to Probationary-Permanent(4)	New to Board*	* "New to Board" Source							
							Teaching In Another			Term Other Board	Substitute		Previous Teaching Experience	First Year Teaching
							Board	Province	Country		Same Board	Other Board		
Cape Breton-Victoria	1,417.8	1,304.0	18.0	40.0	14.0	41.8	2.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	27.2	0.0	2.6	8.0
Strait	673.6	594.5	18.0	33.0	6.0	22.1	0.0	1.5	0.0	1.0	12.1	0.0	2.0	5.5
Chignecto-Central	1,593.5	1,328.2	34.5	157.3	4.4	69.1	1.0	1.0	2.1	2.1	37.1	5.0	11.4	9.4
Halifax	3,437.5	2,961.3	108.4	199.0	54.1	114.7	3.8	9.1	0.5	0.0	62.7	4.6	16.8	17.2
Annapolis Valley	1,048.8	852.0	30.7	102.7	27.6	35.8	0.0	3.3	0.0	1.0	17.8	0.0	4.8	8.9
Southwest	1,124.4	943.0	22.0	76.1	33.0	50.3	4.9	3.7	0.0	2.0	26.0	0.0	2.4	11.3
Acadien provincial	316.1	243.2	6.3	24.6	15.0	27.0	1.0	5.9	1.7	1.0	9.4	0.8	1.7	5.5
Total	**9,611.7**	**8,226.2**	**237.9**	**632.7**	**154.1**	**360.8**	**12.7**	**26.5**	**4.3**	**7.1**	**192.3**	**10.4**	**41.7**	**65.8**
Historical														
1998-99	9,620.8	7,623.3	200.9	776.6	445.5	574.5	13.8	53.9	7.3	12.4	373.0	25.2	36.6	52.3
1997-98	9,396.4	7,907.5	220.9	672.1	180.5	415.4	31.3	39.1	8.8	14.4	223.3	25.4	17.3	55.8
1996-97	9,384.3	8,062.9	228.5	475.4	202.2	415.3	4.0	26.0	2.4	9.8	209.5	14.6	58.4	90.6
1995-96 (5)	9,356.1	8,268.9	212.8	502.8	95.9	275.7	9.7	14.1	2.5	13.7	129.2	8.6	41.4	56.5
1990-91	10,684	9,465	292	522	83	322	24	21	4	10	140	20	27	76
1985-86	10,751	9,795	207	321	41	387	22	35	10	9	137	19	57	98

Notes:

(1) Return to Board - Teachers continuing employment with the same board.

(2) On Leave Previous Year - Teachers on leave in the previous school year who have returned to the same board.

(3) Term Renewal - Teachers on a term contract in the previous year who have had their contract renewed.

(4) Term to Probationary-Permanent - Teachers on a term contract in the previous year who have been hired into a probationary or permanent position.

(5) Starting in 1991-92, data are based on FTE (Full-Time Equivalent) versus head count as in previous years.

Teachers by Position and Gender (page 1 of 2)

Position	1990-91 Total Staff	1990-91 Male No.	1990-91 Male %	1990-91 Female No.	1990-91 Female %	1995-96 Total Staff	1995-96 Male No.	1995-96 Male %	1995-96 Female No.	1995-96 Female %	1996-97 Total Staff	1996-97 Male No.	1996-97 Male %	1996-97 Female No.	1996-97 Female %
Superintendents	21	20	95.2%	1	4.8%	22	22	100.0%	0	0.0%	6	6	100.0%	0	0.0%
Assistant Superintendents	26	24	92.3%	2	7.7%	21	17	81.0%	4	19.0%	23	19	82.6%	4	17.4%
Supervisors(1)	118	73	61.9%	45	38.1%	75	44	58.7%	31	41.3%	59	42	71.2%	17	28.8%
System Consultants	34	19	55.9%	15	44.1%	20	11	55.0%	9	45.0%	63	36	57.1%	27	42.9%
Principals >50% Admin	379	311	82.1%	68	17.9%	355	263	74.1%	92	25.9%	362	251	69.3%	111	30.7%
Principals <50% Admin	95	46	48.4%	49	51.6%	77	37	48.1%	40	51.9%	66	29	43.9%	37	56.1%
Total Principals	474	357	75.3%	117	24.7%	432	300	69.4%	132	30.6%	428	280	65.4%	148	34.6%
Vice-Principals >50% Admin	200	169	84.5%	31	15.5%	198	142	71.7%	56	28.3%	222	151	68.0%	71	32.0%
Vice-Principals <50% Admin	177	83	46.9%	94	53.1%	174	77	44.3%	97	55.7%	174	67	38.5%	107	61.5%
Total Vice-Principals	377	252	66.8%	125	33.2%	372	219	58.9%	153	41.1%	396	218	55.1%	178	44.9%
Department Heads	272	198	72.8%	74	27.2%	146	97	66.4%	49	33.6%	152	106	69.7%	46	30.3%
Subtotal Administration	**1,322**	**943**	**71.3%**	**379**	**28.7%**	**1,088**	**710**	**65.3%**	**378**	**34.7%**	**1,127**	**707**	**62.7%**	**420**	**37.3%**
Education Support(2)	420	168	40.0%	252	60.0%	359	129	35.9%	230	64.1%	354	125	35.3%	229	64.7%
Teachers	8,942	3,192	35.7%	5,750	64.3%	8,212	2,815	34.3%	5,397	65.7%	8,231	2,729	33.2%	5,502	66.8%
Total(3)	**10,684**	**4,303**	**40.3%**	**6,381**	**59.7%**	**9,659**	**3,654**	**37.8%**	**6,005**	**62.2%**	**9,712**	**3,561**	**36.7%**	**6,151**	**63.3%**

Notes:

(1) Includes Supervisors and Sub-System Supervisors.

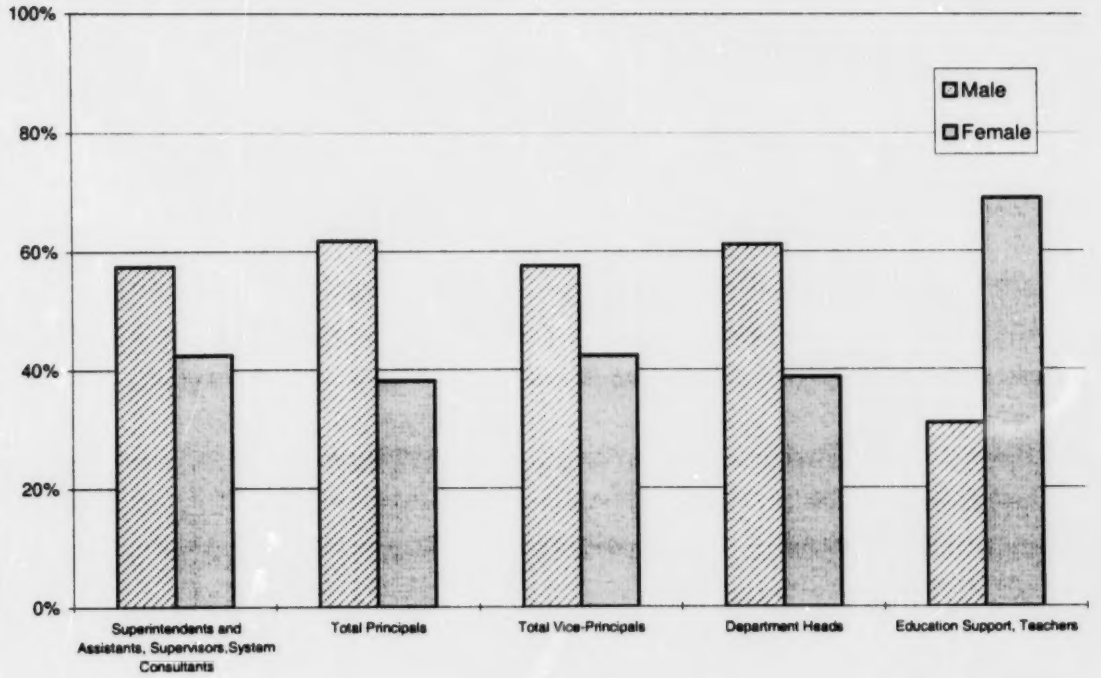
(2) Includes Guidance Counsellors, Librarians, Co-ordinators, Social Workers, Speech-Language Pathologists, Psychologists, etc.

(3) Data for 1985-86 are not available.

Teachers by Position and Gender (page 2 of 2)

Position	1997-98 Total Staff	1997-98 Male No.	1997-98 Male %	1997-98 Female No.	1997-98 Female %	1998-99 Total Staff	1998-99 Male No.	1998-99 Male %	1998-99 Female No.	1998-99 Female %	1999-00 Total Staff	1999-00 Male No.	1999-00 Male %	1999-00 Female No.	1999-00 Female %
Superintendents	7	6	85.7%	1	14.3%	7	6	85.7%	1	14.3%	6	5	83.3%	1	16.7%
Assistant Superintendents	21	17	81.0%	4	19.0%	22	18	81.8%	4	18.2%	23	17	73.9%	6	26.1%
Supervisors	73	49	67.1%	24	32.9%	68	44	64.7%	24	35.3%	68	42	61.8%	26	38.2%
System Consultants	32	15	46.9%	17	53.1%	38	20	52.6%	18	47.4%	56	24	42.9%	32	57.1%
Principals >50% Admin	378	255	67.5%	123	32.5%	390	247	63.3%	143	36.7%	400	253	63.3%	147	36.8%
Principals <50% Admin	54	27	50.0%	27	50.0%	50	25	50.0%	25	50.0%	40	19	47.5%	21	52.5%
Total Principals	432	282	65.3%	150	34.7%	440	272	61.8%	168	38.2%	440	272	61.8%	168	38.2%
Vice-Principals >50% Admin	248	162	65.3%	86	34.7%	239	159	66.5%	80	33.5%	257	164	63.8%	93	36.2%
Vice-Principals <50% Admin	144	60	41.7%	84	58.3%	155	65	41.9%	90	58.1%	118	52	44.1%	66	55.9%
Total Vice-Principals	392	222	56.6%	170	43.4%	394	224	56.9%	170	43.1%	375	216	57.6%	159	42.4%
Department Heads	155	105	67.7%	50	32.3%	161	100	62.1%	61	37.9%	170	104	61.2%	66	38.8%
Subtotal Administration	**1,112**	**696**	**62.6%**	**416**	**37.4%**	**1,130**	**684**	**60.5%**	**446**	**39.5%**	**1,138**	**680**	**59.8%**	**458**	**40.2%**
Education Support	408	123	30.1%	285	69.9%	436	144	33.0%	292	67.0%	441	139	31.5%	302	68.5%
Teachers	8,209	2,669	32.5%	5,540	67.5%	8,347	2,582	30.9%	5,765	69.1%	8,347	2,584	31.0%	5,763	69.0%
Total	**9,729**	**3,488**	**35.9%**	**6,241**	**64.1%**	**9,913**	**3,410**	**34.4%**	**6,503**	**65.6%**	**9,926**	**3,403**	**34.3%**	**6,523**	**65.7%**

Teachers by Position and Gender: 1999-00



Teacher's Administrative Roles: 1999-00

Board	Superintendent	Assistant Superintendent	Supervisor(1) No.	Supervisor(1) FTE(2)	System Consultant No.	System Consultant FTE	Principal No.	Principal FTE	Vice-Principal No.	Vice-Principal FTE	Department Head No.	Department Head FTE	Total Administration No.	Total Administration FTE(2)	Teacher Ratio(3)	Student Ratio(4)
Cape Breton-Victoria	1	3	8	8.0	3	2.1	66	52.4	53	34.2	42	7.5	176	108.2	12.1	201.7
Strait	1	5	8	8.0	0	0.0	37	33.2	28	13.2	1	1.0	80	61.4	10.0	169.8
Chignecto-Central	1	4	15	15.0	20	19.5	78	64.6	58	34.7	50	4.2	226	143.0	10.1	188.6
Halifax	0	3	16	15.0	15	15.0	141	138.4	147	105.9	43	11.6	365	288.9	10.9	201.4
Annapolis Valley	1	2	7	7.0	7	5.7	42	37.0	29	23.7	13	1.6	101	78.0	12.4	231.3
Southwest	1	3	4	4.0	11	11.0	55	45.7	53	29.6	21	2.1	148	96.4	10.7	192.9
Acadien provincial	1	3	10	9.3	0	0.0	21	16.8	7	3.6	0	0.0	42	33.7	8.4	123.8
Total	**6**	**23**	**68**	**66.3**	**56**	**53.3**	**440**	**388.1**	**375**	**244.9**	**170**	**28.0**	**1,138**	**809.6**	**10.9**	**195.4**
Historical																
1998-99	7	22	68	68.0	38	32.1	440	376.1	394	215.5	161	27.8	1,130	748.5	11.9	213.8
1997-98	7	21	73	73.0	32	28.2	432	365.1	392	208.9	155	24.3	1,112	727.5	11.9	223.2
1996-97	6	23	59	58.5	63	58.9	428	355.1	396	194.9	152	20.7	1,127	717.1	12.1	228.6
1995-96	22	21	75	73.2	20	16.8	432	349.1	372	167.4	146	20.7	1,088	670.2	13.0	244.7
1990-91	21	26	118	113.7	34	24.8	474	374.8	377	185.8	272	53.7	1,322	799.8	12.0	207.2
1985-86	Not Available															

Notes:

(1) Includes Supervisors and Sub-System Supervisors.

(2) FTE for administration duties represents the portion of time spent on administration.

(3) Teacher Ratio - The ratio of Total Administration FTE to Non-Administration Teachers FTE as full-time equivalents (FTE).

(4) Student Ratio - The ratio of Total Administration FTE to Total Enrolment.

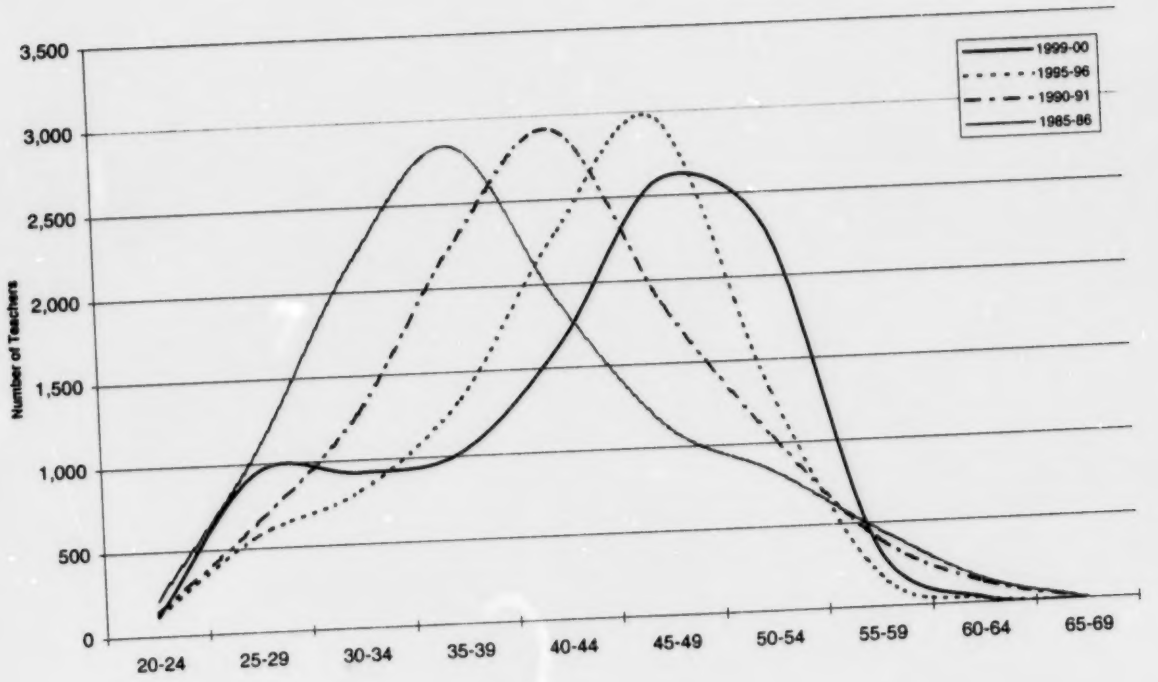
Teachers by Age Group(1): 1999-00

Board	Total Teachers	Age Group									
		20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65-69
Cape Breton-Victoria	1,425	9	99	117	90	198	447	394	66	5	0
Strait	677	1	64	63	46	135	164	177	25	2	0
Chignecto-Central	1,661	21	139	144	237	340	426	296	54	4	0
Halifax	3,562	37	369	343	334	517	913	906	131	12	0
Annapolis Valley	1,105	11	113	96	137	199	282	238	25	4	0
Southwest	1,168	23	108	118	141	219	297	229	30	3	0
Acadien provincial	328	14	57	47	43	42	69	49	7	0	0
Total	**9,926**	**116**	**949**	**928**	**1,028**	**1,650**	**2,598**	**2,289**	**338**	**30**	**0**
Historical											
1998-99	9,913	187	985	906	1,096	1,743	2,881	1,830	257	28	0
1997-98	9,729	175	819	790	1,162	1,848	3,025	1,648	235	27	0
1996-97	9,712	178	650	830	1,227	2,069	3,087	1,433	209	29	0
1995-96	9,659	127	575	817	1,343	2,320	2,951	1,313	188	25	0
1990-91	10,684	143	655	1,276	2,287	2,911	1,843	1,040	403	123	3
1985-86	10,751	212	1,064	2,191	2,838	1,879	1,123	835	461	143	5

Note:

(1) Age is reported as of September 30.

Teachers by Age Group



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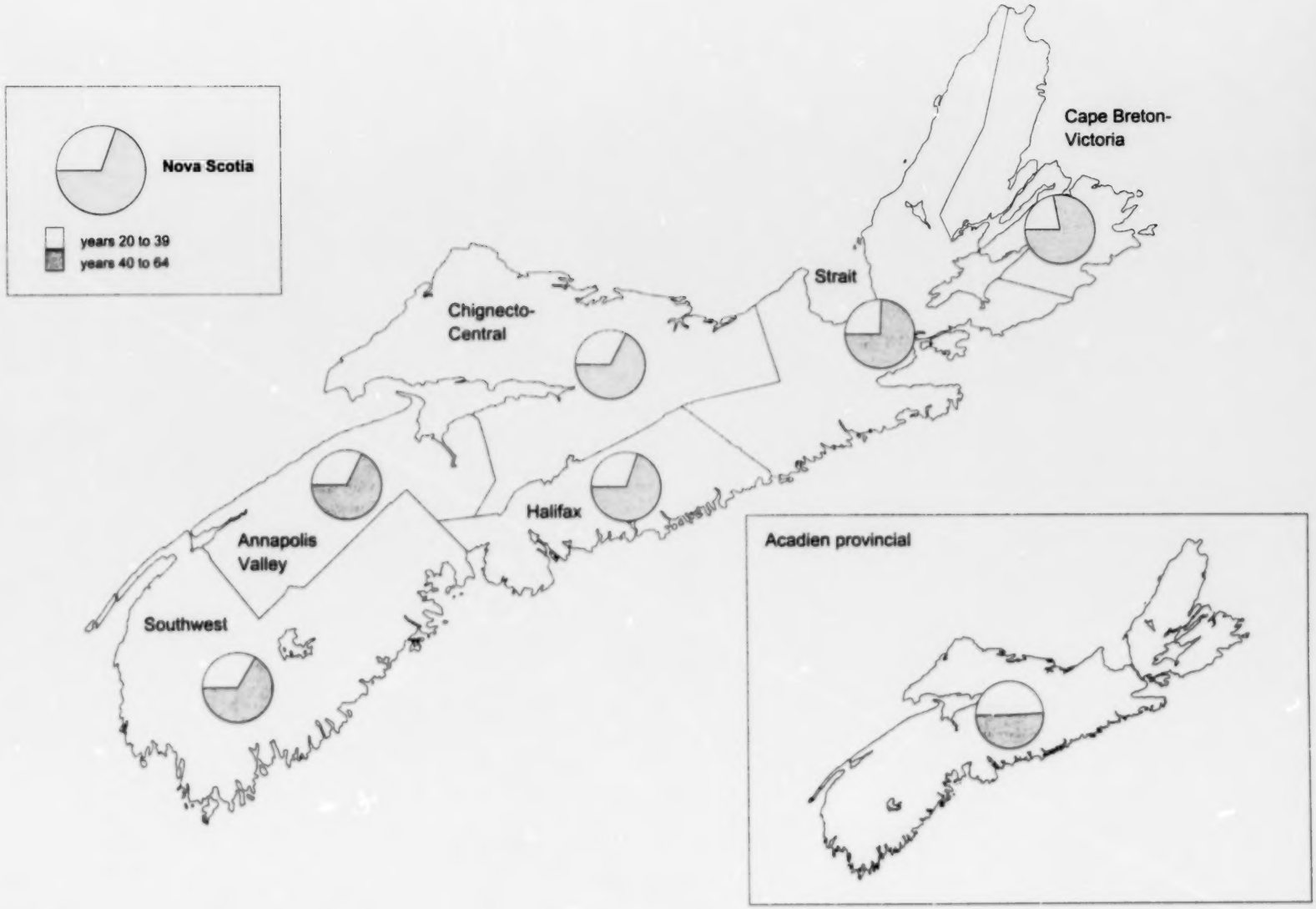
Teachers by Age Group



Teachers by Certification(1) and Gender: 1999-00

Board	Total			TC 8			TC 7 and VTC 4			TC 6 and VTC 3			TC 5 and VTC 2			Other(2)		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Cape Breton-Victoria	532	893	1,425	92	41	133	100	84	184	180	268	448	150	430	580	10	70	80
Strait	273	404	677	14	11	25	57	27	84	104	122	226	94	213	307	4	31	35
Chignecto-Central	540	1,121	1,661	45	30	75	106	117	223	153	303	456	218	603	821	18	68	86
Halifax	1,091	2,471	3,562	95	85	180	212	304	516	336	758	1,094	439	1,264	1,703	9	60	69
Annapolis Valley	385	720	1,105	22	15	37	64	71	135	127	172	299	167	423	590	5	39	44
Southwest	463	705	1,168	30	12	42	56	42	98	154	149	303	207	439	646	16	63	79
Acadien provincial	119	209	328	4	1	5	20	7	27	35	46	81	59	147	206	1	8	9
Total	**3,403**	**6,523**	**9,926**	**302**	**195**	**497**	**615**	**652**	**1,267**	**1,089**	**1,818**	**2,907**	**1,334**	**3,519**	**4,853**	**63**	**339**	**402**
Historical																		
1998-99	3,410	6,503	9,913	295	188	483	623	642	1,265	1,089	1,804	2,893	1,340	3,519	4,859	63	350	413
1997-98	3,488	6,241	9,729	322	185	507	691	643	1,334	1,173	1,832	3,005	1,239	3,219	4,458	63	362	425
1996-97	3,569	6,143	9,712	342	181	523	728	669	1,397	1,264	1,816	3,080	1,169	3,091	4,260	66	386	452
1995-96	3,654	6,005	9,659	357	184	541	777	651	1,428	1,330	1,838	3,168	1,117	2,932	4,049	73	400	473
1990-91	4,305	6,379	10,684	364	139	503	937	544	1,481	1,708	1,915	3,623	1,167	3,069	4,236	129	712	841
1985-86	4,752	6,411	11,163	302	110	412	981	425	1,406	1,926	1,858	3,784	1,313	2,842	4,155	230	1,176	1,406

Notes:

(1) Teacher Certification levels are described in the *Regulations under the Education Act*.

(2) Other includes TC 4, TC 3, TC 2, TC 1, VTC 1, and VTPA

Average Teacher Salary(1,2,3)

Board	1985-86	1990-91	1995-96	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-00
Annapolis	$36,331	$46,523	$49,287				
Antigonish	$38,720	$47,233	$48,886				
Cape Breton	$40,051	$48,942	$49,639				
Clare-Argyle	$38,158	$47,461	$49,445				
Colchester-E Hants	$36,943	$46,466	$48,209				
Cumberland	$36,500	$45,655	$47,629				
Dartmouth	$39,937	$49,589	$51,264				
Digby	$36,894	$46,403	$47,892				
Guysborough	$36,339	$45,998	$48,660				
Halifax	$39,108	$49,833	$51,485				
Halifax Co-Bedford	$37,790	$47,947	$50,109				
Hants West	$37,428	$47,520	$49,193				
Inverness	$38,418	$47,477	$47,927				
Kings	$37,320	$47,623	$49,269				
Lunenburg	$36,433	$46,418	$48,300				
Northside-Victoria	$38,744	$47,936	$49,008				
Pictou	$37,077	$47,527	$50,329				
Queens	$34,973	$45,930	$49,083				
Richmond	$38,992	$48,462	$48,538				
Shelburne	$35,757	$45,491	$46,324				
Yarmouth	$36,329	$45,148	$47,347				
Grand Havre	Not Applicable		$43,041				
Cape Breton-Victoria				$49,457	$49,811	$51,189	$52,216
Strait				$48,961	$48,729	$51,029	$52,167
Chignecto-Central				$48,809	$48,702	$51,445	$52,822
Halifax				$50,333	$50,260	$51,948	$52,082
Annapolis Valley				$49,291	$48,961	$50,870	$51,963
Southwest				$47,908	$47,715	$49,979	$51,030
Acadien provincial				$46,798	$46,729	$48,778	$49,748
Provincial	**$38,143**	**$47,799**	**$49,450**	**$49,322**	**$49,246**	**$51,229**	**$52,019**

Notes:

(1) This table reflects the amalgamation of school boards and the creation of the Acadien provincial between 1995-96 and 1996-97.

(2) Based on teachers employed as of September 30 and the salary scale in effect at that time.

(3) Salary is based on full-time equivalent (FTE) for permanent staff. Prior to 1989-90, salary was based on teacher count.

Support Services - Board Level(1): 1999-00

Position	Superintendent's Office NSTU(2) Number of Staff	Superintendent's Office NSTU(2) FTE	Superintendent's Office NON-NSTU Number of Staff	Superintendent's Office NON-NSTU FTE	Human Resources NSTU Number of Staff	Human Resources NSTU FTE	Human Resources NON-NSTU Number of Staff	Human Resources NON-NSTU FTE	Finance, Operations and Support Services NSTU Number of Staff	Finance, Operations and Support Services NSTU FTE	Finance, Operations and Support Services NON-NSTU Number of Staff	Finance, Operations and Support Services NON-NSTU FTE	Research Planning/Development Technology Partnerships NSTU Number of Staff	Research Planning/Development Technology Partnerships NSTU FTE	Research Planning/Development Technology Partnerships NON-NSTU Number of Staff	Research Planning/Development Technology Partnerships NON-NSTU FTE	Total Board Level Staff NSTU Number of Staff	Total Board Level Staff NSTU FTE	Total Board Level Staff NON-NSTU Number of Staff	Total Board Level Staff NON-NSTU FTE
Director	3	3.0	0	0.0	3	3.0	2	2.0	5	5.0	7	7.0	3	3.0	0	0.0	14	14.0	9	9.0
Assistant Director	3	3.0	0	0.0	1	1.0	1	1.0	1	1.0	3	3.0	1	1.0	0	0.0	6	6.0	4	4.0
Co-ordinator	12	11.5	2	2.0	8	8.0	2	2.0	20	20.0	18	20.0	6	6.0	5	5.0	46	45.5	27	29.0
Assistant Co-ordinator	5	5.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.0	0	0.0	2	2.0	3	3.0	2	1.0	8	8.0	5	4.0
Secretary to the Board	0	0.0	5	4.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	6	5.3
Communications Officer	0	0.0	4	3.5	0	0.0	2	2.0	0	0.0	10	10.0	0	0.0	2	1.8	0	0.0	18	17.3
Officer/Accountant	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	3.0	0	0.0	43	43.0	0	0.0	1	1.0	0	0.0	47	47.0
Administrative Assistant	0	0.0	6	5.2	0	0.0	7	6.4	0	0.0	12	12.0	0	0.0	4	3.8	0	0.0	29	27.4
Clerical/Agent	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.0	0	0.0	15	15.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	16	16.0
Secretarial	0	0.0	8	6.5	0	0.0	12	12.0	0	0.0	17	17.0	0	0.0	6	5.8	0	0.0	43	41.3
Receptionist	0	0.0	5	4.9	0	0.0	1	1.0	0	0.0	2	2.0	0	0.0	1	1.0	0	0.0	9	8.9
Other	5	5.0	5	4.1	0	0.0	3	2.9	0	0.0	5	5.0	1	1.0	4	4.0	6	6.0	17	16.0
Total	**28**	**27.5**	**35**	**30.7**	**12**	**12.0**	**35**	**34.3**	**26**	**26.0**	**135**	**136.8**	**14**	**14.0**	**25**	**23.4**	**80**	**79.5**	**230**	**225.2**

Notes:

(1) Board Level - Employees with Senior Management responsibilities and their support staff.

(2) NSTU - Support Staff who are employed by the board and are members of the Nova Scotia Teachers Union.

Support Services - System Level(1): 1999-00

Position	Programs & Services NON-NSTU Number of Staff	Programs & Services NON-NSTU FTE	Human Resources NSTU(2) Number of Staff	Human Resources NSTU(2) FTE	Human Resources NON-NSTU Number of Staff	Human Resources NON-NSTU FTE	Finance, Operations and Support Services NSTU Number of Staff	Finance, Operations and Support Services NSTU FTE	Finance, Operations and Support Services NON-NSTU Number of Staff	Finance, Operations and Support Services NON-NSTU FTE	Research Planning/Development Technology Partnerships NSTU Number of Staff	Research Planning/Development Technology Partnerships NSTU FTE	Research Planning/Development Technology Partnerships NON-NSTU Number of Staff	Research Planning/Development Technology Partnerships NON-NSTU FTE	Total System Level Staff NSTU Number of Staff	Total System Level Staff NSTU FTE	Total System Level Staff NON-NSTU Number of Staff	Total System Level Staff NON-NSTU FTE
Manager/Supervisor	0	0.0	0	0.0	13	13.0	0	0.0	35	35.0	1	1.0	6	5.0	1	1.0	54	53.0
Contract Management	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	12	2.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	12	2.3
Maintenance Staff	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	153	153.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	153	153.0
Transportation Staff	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	59	59.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	59	59.0
Technical Support	5	5.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	3.0	28	28.0	3	3.0	33	33.0
Project Co-ordinators	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	3.0	2	2.0	3	3.0	2	2.0	6	6.0
Secretarial	32	28.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	3.5	0	0.0	8	7.0	0	0.0	44	39.0
Clerical Support	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	4.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	2.0	0	0.0	6	6.0
Other	8	7.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.0	11	11.0	2	2.0	1	0.5	3	3.0	20	19.0
Total	**45**	**41.0**	**0**	**0.0**	**17**	**17.0**	**1**	**1.0**	**277**	**266.8**	**8**	**8.0**	**48**	**45.5**	**9**	**9.0**	**387**	**370.3**

Notes:

(1) System Level - Employees with system wide operational responsibilities and their support staff

(2) NSTU - Support Staff who are employed by the board and are members of the Nova Scotia Teachers Union

Support Services - School Level(1): 1999-00

Position	NSTU(2) Number of Staff	NSTU(2) FTE	NON-NSTU Number of Staff	NON-NSTU FTE
Student Program Assistants	0	0.0	1,646	1,356.4
Instructors	0	0.0	11	10.6
Secretarial	0	0.0	586	441.6
Clerical	0	0.0	0	0.0
Bus Drivers	0	0.0	1,101	612.0
Custodians	0	0.0	1,007	861.2
Library Technician/Assistant	0	0.0	241	211.3
Cafeteria Personnel	0	0.0	120	59.2
Student Supervisor	0	0.0	426	164.0
Technical Support	0	0.0	14	14.0
Other	0	0.0	673	460.3
Total	**0**	**0.0**	**5,825**	**4,190.6**

Notes:

(1) School Level - Employees with assigned school or schools responsibilities.

(2) NSTU - Support Staff who are employed by the board and are members of the Nova Scotia Teachers Union.

School Information

This section provides the number of schools by enrolment and by grade.

Number of Schools

The number of schools in Nova Scotia continues to fluctuate with new schools being built and the older schools closing. Some of the reductions or increases in the number of schools are not as a result of school openings or closings but of board administrative decisions. For example, one principal may be given responsibilities over two or more schools that are then consolidated and reported as one school. These schools may be separated and reported individually in other years. There were a total of 466 schools for the 1999-00 school year.

Number of Schools by Enrolment(1,2,3): 1999-00

Board(4)	Total Schools	Number of Students in Schools						
		< 50	50-99	100-199	200-399	400-699	700-1,000	>1,000
Cape Breton-Victoria	67	7	11	8	23	10	5	3
Strait	37	2	1	9	20	4	0	1
Chignecto-Central	89	2	7	27	33	16	3	1
Halifax	141	2	4	17	59	46	5	8
Annapolis Valley	43	1	2	7	15	10	7	1
Southwest	66	4	9	20	16	13	4	0
Acadien provincial	23	3	4	6	9	1	0	0
Total	**466**	**21**	**38**	**94**	**175**	**100**	**24**	**14**
Historical								
1998-99	471	26	35	98	173	99	25	15
1997-98	462	26	33	89	161	109	28	16
1996-97	461	20	35	90	160	116	23	17
1995-96	472	17	33	99	174	108	26	15
1990-91	500	23	39	100	197	109	18	14
1985-86	554	Not Available						

Notes:

(1) Table indicates the number of schools in each board, and the province as a whole, grouped by the numbers of students in each school.

(2) Includes Northside Learning Centre in Cape Breton-Victoria but excludes the other 15 Adult High Schools/Learning Centres throughout the province.

(3) Some of the reductions or additions in the numbers of schools may be the result of combining or separating schools for administrative purposes (1 principal over two buildings) and not as a result of actual school closings or openings.

Number of Schools by Grade(1,2,3): 1999-00 (page 1 of 2)

	ELEMENTARY									JUNIOR				
Board	P	1	2	3	4	5	6	Elementary Other	Subtotal	7	8	9	Junior Other	Subtotal
Cape Breton-Victoria	48	49	49	49	48	47	47	11	50	17	17	17	6	18
Strait	24	24	24	22	24	23	23	0	27	16	16	15	1	23
Chignecto-Central	61	61	61	60	60	55	50	3	71	25	25	25	7	30
Halifax	94	95	95	94	93	91	90	12	100	41	38	38	6	41
Annapolis Valley	31	31	31	31	31	31	28	0	34	16	15	14	2	19
Southwest	45	45	43	45	44	42	38	0	50	21	21	20	1	22
Acadien provincial	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	1	17	16	11	8	0	20
Total	**320**	**322**	**320**	**318**	**317**	**306**	**293**	**27**	**349**	**152**	**143**	**137**	**23**	**173**
Historical														
1998-99	329	329	327	329	324	315	296	29	355	148	143	137	43	168
1997-98	329	329	330	328	324	318	303	36	351	148	143	138	39	163
1996-97	325	326	325	326	322	315	305	35	347	145	145	139	35	158
1995-96	334	333	333	334	329	325	313	39	359	146	145	137	43	158
1990-91	358	358	358	359	352	342	337	71	385	165	159	148	54	174
1985-86	Not Available													

Notes:

(1) Includes Northside Learning Centre in Cape Breton-Victoria but excludes the 15 Adult High Schools/Learning Centres throughout the province.

(2) Schools that have multiple grades and/or multiple levels are counted in each grade but only once for each level (i.e., subtotal) and only once in the total.

(3) Some of the reductions or additions in the numbers of schools may be the result of combining or separating schools for administrative purposes (1 principal over two buildings) and not as a result of actual school closings or openings.

Number of Schools by Grade: 1999-00 (page 2 of 2)

Board	SENIOR 10	11	12	Senior Other	Business Education	Subtotal	Vocational	Total
Cape Breton-Victoria	10	10	10	3	2	10	1	67
Strait	15	15	15	4	0	15	0	37
Chignecto-Central	19	19	19	10	2	19	0	89
Halifax	15	15	15	6	4	15	0	141
Annapolis Valley	10	10	10	5	0	10	0	43
Southwest	16	16	16	2	0	16	0	66
Acadien provincial	7	7	7	0	0	7	0	23
Total	**92**	**92**	**92**	**30**	**8**	**92**	**1**	**466**
Historical								
1998-99	92	92	92	37	10	93	1	471
1997-98	92	92	92	38	12	93	1	462
1996-97	93	92	92	36	16	93	1	461
1995-96	87	87	87	40	17	88	1	472
1990-91	90	90	90	36	22	92	3	500
1985-86	Not Available							

Financial Information

This section summarizes school board financial information. Financial reporting formats were revised in 1996-97 and the historical information has not been restated using these new formats.

Revenues

Budgeted total revenues for 1999-00 increased by 1.8 percent to $799.1 million. Total revenues for 1998-99 increased 6.2 percent to $785.3 million from $739.1 million in 1997-98.

Budgeted provincial grants to boards for 1999-00 were $630.8 million, an increase of 2.1 percent from $617.9 million in 1998-99.

Expenditures

Budgeted school board expenditures for 1999-00 were $799.1 million, an increase of 0.4 percent from 1998-99. For the school year 1998-99, total school board expenditures were $796.0 million, an increase of 5.2 percent from the 1997-98 total of $756.7 million.

Total provincial average expenditures per student were $4,975 in 1998-99 and were budgeted at $5,051 in 1999-00.

Statement of Operations

Revenues	1996-97 Actual	% of Total	1997-98 Actual	% of Total	1998-99 Actual	% of Total	1999-00 Budget	% of Total
Province of Nova Scotia	$557,410,677	77.6%	$577,902,309	78.2%	$617,859,363	78.7%	$630,751,314	78.9%
Government of Canada	$8,954,851	1.2%	$8,691,850	1.2%	$8,625,383	1.1%	$8,376,708	1.0%
Municipal Grants	$138,277,142	19.2%	$139,640,064	18.9%	$145,615,204	18.5%	$148,034,634	18.5%
Board Revenues	$8,128,414	1.1%	$9,364,134	1.3%	$11,486,176	1.5%	$11,417,687	1.4%
Subtotal	**$712,771,084**	**99.2%**	**$735,598,357**	**99.5%**	**$783,586,126**	**99.8%**	**$798,580,343**	**99.9%**
Transfers from Reserves	$4,787,402	0.7%	$2,854,179	0.4%	$1,669,122	0.2%	$465,614	0.1%
Prior Year Surplus	$915,142	0.1%	$664,059	0.1%		0.0%	$47,206	0.0%
Total Revenues	**$718,473,628**	**100.0%**	**$739,116,595**	**100.0%**	**$785,255,248**	**100.0%**	**$799,093,163**	**100.0%**
Expenditures								
Regional Board Management	$25,122,281	3.5%	$26,218,801	3.5%	$26,165,967	3.3%	$23,908,055	3.0%
School Administration & Instruction	$505,687,316	69.7%	$524,134,653	69.3%	$528,966,376	66.5%	$556,839,794	69.7%
Special Education	$55,212,203	7.6%	$59,262,153	7.8%	$69,830,623	8.8%	$73,981,734	9.3%
Adult Education	$4,769,888	0.7%	$5,454,630	0.7%	$5,821,912	0.7%	$3,687,410	0.5%
Summer School	$225,723	0.0%	$221,025	0.0%	$218,438	0.0%	$137,875	0.0%
Driver Education	$201,924	0.0%	$63,358	0.0%	$37,969	0.0%	$0	0.0%
Board of Pupils	$30,873	0.0%	$16,384	0.0%	$20,199	0.0%	$20,006	0.0%
Federal Programs	$1,949,755	0.3%	$2,318,633	0.3%	$2,486,779	0.3%	$1,036,463	0.1%
Cafeteria	$3,019,021	0.4%	$2,939,729	0.4%	$3,018,575	0.4%	$2,563,592	0.3%
Property Service	$72,938,197	10.1%	$76,127,227	10.1%	$77,854,994	9.8%	$77,829,390	9.7%
Student Transportation	$38,100,313	5.3%	$39,047,835	5.2%	$40,759,333	5.1%	$42,038,346	5.3%
Operating Capital	$15,639,972	2.2%	$14,750,295	1.9%	$21,989,830	2.8%	$12,978,589	1.6%
Subtotal	**$722,897,466**	**99.7%**	**$750,554,723**	**99.2%**	**$777,170,995**	**97.6%**	**$795,021,254**	**99.5%**
Transfers to Reserves	$656,684	0.1%	$7,427	0.0%	$998,702	0.1%	$0	0.0%
Prior Year Deficit	$1,657,726	0.2%	$6,182,381	0.8%	$17,823,883	2.2%	$4,071,909	0.5%
Total Expenditures	**$725,211,876**	**100.0%**	**$756,744,531**	**100.0%**	**$795,993,580**	**100.0%**	**$799,093,163**	**100.0%**
Surplus / (Deficit)	($6,738,248)		($17,627,936)		($10,738,332)		$0	

Revenues: Province of Nova Scotia(1)

Board	1996-97 Actual	1997-98 Actual	1998-99 Actual	1999-00 Budget	1999-00 as percent of 1998-99
Cape Breton-Victoria	$90,347,125	$90,775,067	$95,707,063	$95,478,758	99.8%
Strait	$48,139,222	$51,103,280	$52,520,637	$51,119,934	97.3%
Chignecto-Central	$98,898,664	$102,791,421	$107,836,513	$109,401,500	101.5%
Halifax	$170,392,178	$176,861,626	$195,588,447	$207,280,400	106.0%
Annapolis Valley	$63,621,372	$65,919,680	$68,565,719	$69,815,477	101.8%
Southwest	$65,122,301	$67,736,097	$72,826,491	$72,717,200	99.8%
Acadien provincial	$20,889,815	$22,715,138	$24,814,493	$24,938,045	100.5%
Total	**$557,410,677**	**$577,902,309**	**$617,859,363**	**$630,751,314**	**102.1%**

Note:
(1) Includes operating and capital grants.

Revenues: Government of Canada(1)

Board	1996-97 Actual	1997-98 Actual	1998-99 Actual	1999-00 Budget	1999-00 as percent of 1998-99
Cape Breton-Victoria	$2,152,083	$1,626,005	$1,070,072	$828,232	77.4%
Strait	$1,127,461	$1,047,505	$1,117,521	$1,109,231	99.3%
Chignecto-Central	$2,210,637	$2,024,231	$1,955,030	$1,983,000	101.4%
Halifax	$979,221	$1,980,085	$1,997,245	$1,450,000	72.6%
Annapolis Valley	$910,706	$806,122	$808,408	$780,705	96.6%
Southwest	$480,862	$600,564	$1,271,530	$1,089,417	85.7%
Acadien provincial	$1,093,881	$607,338	$405,577	$1,136,123	280.1%
Total	**$8,954,851**	**$8,691,850**	**$8,625,383**	**$8,376,708**	**97.1%**

Note:
(1) Includes revenues from Indian & Northern Affairs Canada, Human Resources Development Canada, and Minority Language Funding.

Municipal Grants

Board	1996-97 Actual(1)	1997-98 Actual(2)	1998-99 Actual(3)	1999-00 Budget(4)	1999-00 as percent of 1998-99
Cape Breton-Victoria	$11,271,184	$11,288,055	$12,053,618	$12,175,800	101.0%
Strait	$6,338,836	$6,505,451	$7,406,172	$7,880,700	106.4%
Chignecto-Central	$16,932,054	$16,896,264	$17,925,161	$18,339,434	102.3%
Halifax	$74,999,999	$75,678,940	$76,229,364	$76,989,600	101.0%
Annapolis Valley	$12,412,012	$12,808,815	$14,183,941	$14,528,600	102.4%
Southwest	$16,323,057	$16,462,539	$17,816,948	$18,120,500	101.7%
Acadien provincial	$0	$0	$0	$0	0.0%
Total	**$138,277,142**	**$139,640,064**	**$145,615,204**	**$148,034,634**	**101.7%**

Notes:

(1) Includes Additional Grants for Chignecto-Central of $133,333, Halifax for $16,942,078 and Southwest for $41,000

(2) Includes Additional Grants for Halifax of $16,942,079

(3) Includes Additional Grants for Halifax of $16,936,079

(4) Includes Additional Grants for Halifax of $16,942,000

Board Revenues(1)

Board	1996-97 Actual	1997-98 Actual	1998-99 Actual	1999-00 Budget	1999-00 as percent of 1998-99
Cape Breton-Victoria	$1,080,511	$911,174	$1,178,340	$1,131,682	96.0%
Strait	$664,990	$570,278	$507,114	$365,000	72.0%
Chignecto-Central	$1,622,245	$2,067,303	$2,128,291	$2,996,938	140.8%
Halifax	$2,578,599	$2,225,381	$3,510,576	$3,365,000	95.9%
Annapolis Valley	$1,180,824	$2,290,088	$3,282,268	$2,702,055	82.3%
Southwest	$870,186	$583,039	$738,587	$590,012	79.9%
Acadien provincial	$131,059	$716,871	$141,000	$267,000	189.4%
Total	**$8,128,414**	**$9,364,134**	**$11,486,176**	**$11,417,687**	**99.4%**

Note:

(1) Includes revenues from Investments, Cafeteria, Registration Fees, and Other Board Revenues

Total Expenditures

Board	Expenditures					Expenditure per Student				
	1996-97 Actual	1997-98 Actual	1998-99 Actual	1999-00 Budget	1999-00 as percent of 1998-99	1996-97 Actual	1997-98 Actual	1998-99 Actual	1999-00 Budget	1999-00 as percent of 1998-99
Cape Breton-Victoria	$105,769,484	$106,595,324	$110,077,157	$109,872,382	99.8%	$4,403	$4,557	$4,912	$5,033	102.5%
Strait	$58,172,667	$61,569,023	$61,504,238	$60,522,071	98.4%	$5,069	$5,519	$5,717	$5,804	101.5%
Chignecto-Central	$120,352,951	$123,888,213	$129,917,256	$132,720,872	102.2%	$4,277	$4,470	$4,763	$4,922	103.3%
Halifax	$255,469,413	$267,954,909	$288,905,960	$289,085,000	100.1%	$4,388	$4,592	$4,956	$4,969	100.3%
Annapolis Valley	$78,333,726	$84,467,382	$87,235,685	$87,826,837	100.7%	$4,232	$4,576	$4,788	$4,869	101.7%
Southwest	$84,606,030	$87,913,590	$92,813,515	$92,724,833	99.9%	$4,357	$4,602	$4,938	$4,986	101.0%
Acadien provincial	$22,507,605	$24,356,090	$25,539,769	$26,341,168	103.1%	$5,420	$5,824	$6,004	$6,315	105.2%
Total	**$725,211,876**	**$756,744,531**	**$795,993,580**	**$799,093,163**	**100.4%**	**$4,424**	**$4,661**	**$4,975**	**$5,051**	**101.5%**

Regional Board Management Expenditures: 1999-00 Budget

Board	Enrolments September 1999	Regional Board Management Expenditures	Expenditure per Student	Total Expenditures	Regional Board Management as percent of Total Expenditures
Cape Breton-Victoria	21,829	$2,980,329	$137	$109,872,382	2.7%
Strait	10,427	$2,344,915	$225	$60,522,071	3.9%
Chignecto-Central	26,966	$3,818,402	$142	$132,720,872	2.9%
Halifax	58,175	$7,403,000	$127	$289,085,000	2.6%
Annapolis Valley	18,039	$2,554,154	$142	$87,826,837	2.9%
Southwest	18,598	$2,861,843	$154	$92,724,833	3.1%
Acadien provincial	4,171	$1,945,412	$466	$26,341,168	7.4%
Total	**158,205**	**$23,908,055**	**$151**	**$799,093,163**	**3.0%**
Historical					
1998-99 Actual	160,011	$26,165,967	$164	$795,993,579	3.3%
1997-98 Actual	162,359	$26,218,801	$161	$756,744,531	3.5%
1996-97 Actual	163,941	$25,122,281	$153	$725,211,876	3.5%

School Administration & Instruction Expenditures: 1999-00 Budget

Board	Enrolments September 1999	School Administration & Instruction Expenditures	Expenditure per Student	Total Expenditures	School Administration & Instruction as percent of Total Expenditures
Cape Breton-Victoria	21,829	$79,951,869	$3,663	$109,872,382	72.8%
Strait	10,427	$38,616,932	$3,704	$60,522,071	63.8%
Chignecto-Central	26,966	$92,001,636	$3,412	$132,720,872	69.3%
Halifax	58,175	$207,286,000	$3,563	$289,085,000	71.7%
Annapolis Valley	18,039	$58,562,881	$3,246	$87,826,837	66.7%
Southwest	18,598	$63,012,584	$3,388	$92,724,833	68.0%
Acadien provincial	4,171	$17,407,892	$4,174	$26,341,168	66.1%
Total	**158,205**	**$556,839,794**	**$3,520**	**$799,093,163**	**69.7%**
Historical					
1998-99 Actual	160,011	$528,966,376	$3,306	$795,993,579	66.5%
1997-98 Actual	162,359	$524,134,653	$3,228	$756,744,531	69.3%
1996-97 Actual	163,941	$505,687,316	$3,085	$725,211,876	69.7%

Special Education Expenditures: 1999-00 Budget

Board	Enrolments September 1999	Special Education Expenditures	Expenditure per Student	Total Expenditures	Special Education as percent of Total Expenditures
Cape Breton-Victoria	21,829	$9,023,821	$413	$109,872,382	8.2%
Strait	10,427	$5,157,756	$495	$60,522,071	8.5%
Chignecto-Central	26,966	$11,535,312	$428	$132,720,872	8.7%
Halifax	58,175	$27,602,000	$474	$289,085,000	9.5%
Annapolis Valley	18,039	$9,565,898	$530	$87,826,837	10.9%
Southwest	18,598	$9,286,839	$499	$92,724,833	10.0%
Acadien provincial	4,171	$1,810,108	$434	$26,341,168	6.9%
Total	**158,205**	**$73,981,734**	**$468**	**$799,093,163**	**9.3%**
Historical					
1998-99 Actual	160,011	$69,830,623	$436	$795,993,579	8.8%
1997-98 Actual	162,359	$59,262,153	$365	$756,744,531	7.8%
1996-97 Actual	163,941	$55,212,203	$337	$725,211,876	7.6%

Property Service Expenditures: 1999-00 Budget

Board	Enrolments September 1999	Property Service Expenditures	Expenditure per Student	Total Expenditures	Property Service as percent of Total Expenditures
Cape Breton-Victoria	21,829	$9,759,716	$447	$109,872,382	8.9%
Strait	10,427	$6,851,080	$657	$60,522,071	11.3%
Chignecto-Central	26,966	$13,328,843	$494	$132,720,872	10.0%
Halifax	58,175	$29,391,000	$505	$289,085,000	10.2%
Annapolis Valley	18,039	$7,388,315	$410	$87,826,837	8.4%
Southwest	18,598	$8,679,959	$467	$92,724,833	9.4%
Acadien provincial	4,171	$2,430,477	$583	$26,341,168	9.2%
Total	**158,205**	**$77,829,390**	**$492**	**$799,093,163**	**9.7%**
Historical					
1998-99 Actual	160,011	$77,854,994	$487	$795,993,579	9.8%
1997-98 Actual	162,359	$76,127,227	$469	$756,744,531	10.1%
1996-97 Actual	163,941	$72,938,197	$445	$725,211,876	10.1%

Student Transportation Expenditures: 1999-00 Budget

Board	Enrolments September 1999	Transportation Expenditures	Expenditure per Student	Total Expenditures	Transportation as percent of Total Expenditures
Cape Breton-Victoria	21,829	$4,600,947	$211	$109,872,382	4.2%
Strait	10,427	$5,125,451	$492	$60,522,071	8.5%
Chignecto-Central	26,966	$7,580,186	$281	$132,720,872	5.7%
Halifax	58,175	$9,886,000	$170	$289,085,000	3.4%
Annapolis Valley	18,039	$6,270,939	$348	$87,826,837	7.1%
Southwest	18,598	$6,351,844	$342	$92,724,833	6.9%
Acadien provincial	4,171	$2,222,979	$533	$26,341,168	8.4%
Total	**158,205**	**$42,038,346**	**$266**	**$799,093,163**	**5.3%**
Historical					
1998-99 Actual	160,011	$40,759,333	$255	$795,993,579	5.1%
1997-98 Actual	162,359	$39,047,835	$241	$756,744,531	5.2%
1996-97 Actual	163,941	$38,100,313	$232	$725,211,876	5.3%

Operating Capital Expenditures(1): 1999-00 Budget

Board	Enrolments September 1999	Operating Capital Expenditures	Expenditure per Student	Total Expenditures	Operating Capital as percent of Total Expenditures
Cape Breton-Victoria	21,829	$1,746,720	$80	$109,872,382	1.6%
Strait	10,427	$2,425,937	$233	$60,522,071	4.0%
Chignecto-Central	26,966	$2,921,434	$108	$132,720,872	2.2%
Halifax	58,175	$3,066,000	$53	$289,085,000	1.1%
Annapolis Valley	18,039	$709,524	$39	$87,826,837	0.8%
Southwest	18,598	$1,793,789	$96	$92,724,833	1.9%
Acadien provincial	4,171	$315,185	$76	$26,341,168	1.2%
Total	**158,205**	**$12,978,589**	**$82**	**$799,093,163**	**1.6%**
Historical					
1998-99 Actual	160,011	$21,989,830	$137	$795,993,579	2.8%
1997-98 Actual	162,359	$14,750,295	$91	$756,744,531	1.9%
1996-97 Actual	163,941	$15,639,972	$95	$725,211,876	2.2%

Note:

(1) Includes Capital Equipment, Repairs and Renovations, Emergency Capital, Capital Bus Purchase, and Capital Debt Service

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